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EXTRA!

CHARGE O'SHAUGHNESSY IS GIVEN HIS PASSPORTS AND GEN. HUERTA WILL DECLARE WAR WITHIN FEW HOURS CARRANZA WILL JOIN THE DICTATOR

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Charge O'Shaughnessy has been handed his passports by Huerta. He will leave Mexico City today or early Friday morning. This is the first official step toword open declaration of war.

Early today a cable was received from the American charge. It said: "Having been given my passports, I am leaving Thursday night or Friday morning."

This was the first word from O'Shaughnessy in ever forty-eight hours.

The message from O'Shaughnessy was given out at 3:20 a. m. today. It was believed to have been received about midnight. The president was hauled from bed to hear the message read over the telephone by Secretary Tumulty who passed a sleepless night.

With Charge O'Shaughnessy enroute from Mexico City, this government waited anxiously today for an expected formal declaration of war from Huerta.

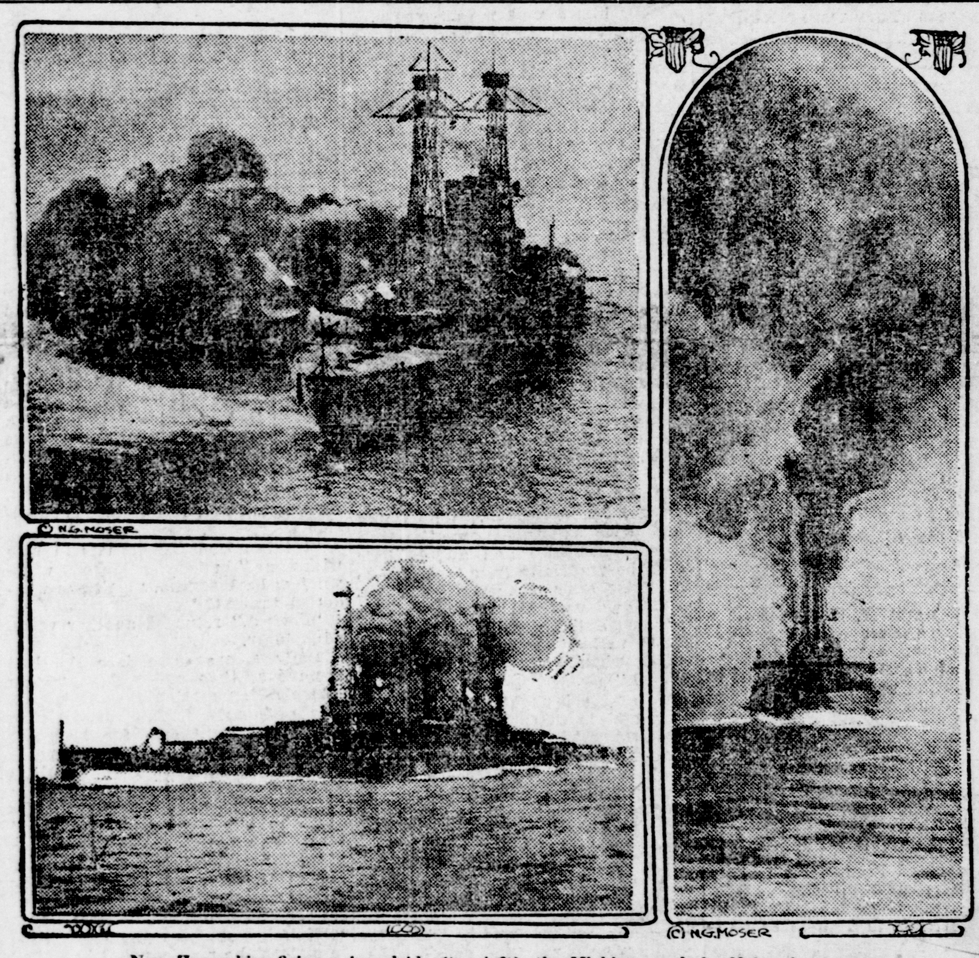
Handing O'Shaughnessy his passports formally severed diplomatic relations. Algara, Mexican charge here, was expected to ask for his passports before noon. They will be promptly turned over.

No longer is there any doubt that there is to be a general conflict with a united Mexico lined up solidly against the might of the United States. Carranza has spoken and his declaration is interpreted by President Wilson and his advisers as a threat.

There will be no more disposition shown to temporize with Carranza than there has been to condone Huerta's efforts.

Officials here believe that Huerta has a formal declaration of war ready, but so far they have not received notification of its issuance. Because of the fragmentary state of communication with the Mexican capital, they do not know whether the dictator has taken the matter up with the Mexican congress. His attitude, however, clearly set forth in his statement of late last night, in which he said war was on and promised to have an army of 400,000 men in the field in twenty days.

Warships To Make Huerta See Error Of His Ways



New Hampshire firing a broadside (top left), the Michigan and the Nebraska (right).

BRYAN HASN'T HEARD HUERTA HAS DECLARED WAR

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Regarding persistent rumors in Washington that Huerta had declared war, Secretary of State Bryan today declared that he had no knowledge of such an event. He explained that he has heard nothing from Mexico City for forty hours.

BADGER ARRIVES AND SHELLS VERA CRUZ OCCUPYING ALL CITY

MEXICO RESOLUTION PASSED BY CONGRESS

A joint resolution justifying the employment by the president of the armed forces of the United States:

"In view of the facts presented by the president of the United States in his address delivered to the congress, in joint session on the 20th of April, 1914, with regard to certain affronts and indignities committed against the United States in Mexico, be it

"Resolved, by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America in congress assembled

"That the president is justified in the employment of the armed forces of the United States to enforce his demand for unequivocal amends for certain affronts and indignities committed against the United States.

"Be it further resolved

"That the United States disclaim any hostility to the Mexican people or any purpose to make war upon Mexico."

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 22--(Bulletin)—Vera Cruz is now completely in the hands of United States marines. The federal soldiers have been driven out.

This information was given out by Secretary Bryan at 1:20 today, following a previous announcement that Fletcher had renewed his attack upon the Huerta soldiers holding the center and outlying portions of Vera Cruz.

Under the guns of the fleet, which began a heavy cannonade at 8 o'clock this morning, the marines then pressed forward into the city, driving the federals back.

(BY BERNARD RUCKER, UNITED PRESS STAFF CORRESPONDENT WITH ADMIRAL BADGER'S FLAGSHIP.)

VERA CRUZ, APRIL 22.—THE COMBINED FLEETS OF REAR ADMIRAL FLETCHER AND REAR ADMIRAL BADGER, (THE LATTER ARRIVED EARLY) THIS MORNING BEGAN SHELLING VERA CRUZ, KNOCKING DOWN THE HOUSES WHERE MEXICAN "SNIPERS" HAVE TAKEN REFUGE IN ORDER TO PICK OFF AMERICAN MARINES. THE LIGHTER GUNS OF THE VESSELS WERE USED AS THE FULL BOMBARDMENT POWER OF THE FLEET IS NOT NECESSARY.

The bombardment started at 8 a. m. today after Rear Admiral Fletcher had sent an ultimatum to the mayor and other officials remaining in the city.

Fletcher demanded that the officials see that firing on the marines holding the streets in the vinicity of the consulate, the customs house, and the wharves cease and that business be resumed. While awaiting a reply the marines merely held the depot and customs house. They returned the fire of the Mexicans directed at them from the roofs of houses and the streets. Machine guns were brought into play and several adobe buildings were demolished.

Consul Canada today estimated the Mexican casualties in yesterday's fighting at between 100 and 150. All of the dead and wounded were natives of low caste.

General Maas, commander of the garrison here could not be found today and it was definitely learned that he had fled with his family.

Two trains bearing American refugees arrived here from Mexico City today. TWO MORE TRAINS ARE ENROUTE, BUT THE RAILROAD IS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN CUT BY THE FEDERALS.

While the fighting was in progress the mayor of Vera Cruz turned up and visited Consul Canada under a flag of truce. Nothing was accomplished in the conference which they held, however, and the marines began a house to house search for "snipers."

IN POSSESSION AT NOON

WASHINGTON, April 22.—All of the city of Vera Cruz was in the possession of the American forces shortly after noon today.

Three thousand American bluejackets and marines were sent forward in formation of an extended crescent, driving the Mexicans before them out of the city.

Canada said: "All Vera Cruz was in our possession by noon." He also reported that the first and second sections of the train from Mexico City which carried women and children refugees, reached Vera Cruz safely before the fighting began yesterday.

Most of the refugees are in hotels and all are safe.

The big customs house warehouse caught fire during the fighting but the flames have been extinguished.

Canada has sent messages to all hotel keepers offering them full protection, and ordering them to reopen their establishments.

supporting Lieutenant Colonel Neville, who is in command of the entire attacking force.

Consul Canada has no further report on casualties and it is not yet known whether any additional Americans have been killed or wounded.

Major Catlin and 300 marines are The report continues:

CONGRESS PLACES POWER IN HANDS OF THE PRESIDENT

War Resolution Passes the Senate and House This Morning and Goes to Wilson

GOES THROUOH HOUSE WITH WHOOP

Quibble Over Resolution in the Senate but It Goes Through Lower Body Quickly

BY BOND P. GEDDES

(Staff correspondent of the United Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Congress today placed President Wilson in sole and absolute charge of hostilities against Mexico. The resolution "justifying" his course and giving him unlimited power to use our military force, was passed by both the senate and house. It was sent to him for approval at once. Wilson signed the resolution at 2:09.

Congress expects that a resolution declaring war will soon follow.

Following passage by the senate at 3:20 this morning by a vote of 72 to 13, of the Mexican resolution, the house at 10:28 today took similar action by a viva voce vote.

Post Haste to Wilson

No roll call was demanded in the lower legislative body. A feeble chorus of "noes" was drowned in a thunderous volume of ayes, and the resolution was concurred in by the house and sent post haste to the president.

Less than a half hour was required for the summary action of the house. The resolution was laid before it at 10:16. Fifteen minutes later it was vociferously roared into law.

The senate had talked and disputed and quibbled over the words in the resolution. The house acted. There was practically no debate. Chairman Flood of the foreign affairs committee called up the resolution, as amended by the senate.

ORDER FLEET OUT

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The third division of the Atlantic fleet now at Boston was ordered yesterday to sail for Mexico on April 25.

POSTPONE GIRL CASE

The case against Jessie Gibbons and Viola Atkinson, charged with immorality, was again adjourned in county court this afternoon. Upon request of attorneys an adjournment of one month was taken by Judge John Brindley.

ELECTION COST $6.39

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—Circuit Judge E. Ray Stevens spent $6.39 in his campaign for re-election as judge of the Ninth Judicial district, according to his expense account filed with the secretary of state. He was unopposed. He spent $5.25 for printing nomination blanks and $1.14 for postage.

CLERGYMAN WOULD JOIN

The war fever has reached the clergy. Today Recruiting Officer Joseph Evans received a letter from the Rev. J. A. Nordling, a Lutheran minister at Grand Rajids, Wis., requesting information relative to becoming an army chaplain. His letter was referred to the adjutant general at Washington.

PLAN MAUSOLEUM FOR WEST SALEM

West Salem is to have a mausoleum similar to that of La Crosse but somewhat smaller. Preliminary steps have already been taken toward that end and articles of incorporation for the purpose of carrying on the work were filed with Register of Deeds Andrew Thompson here. B. B. Mercereau, G. W. Dudley and S. C. Sander are the incorporators. The company will be known as the Hamilton Mausoleum company and will operate without capital stock.

DENY BRYAN RESIGNS

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Secretary Tumulty at the White house this afternoon officially denied a report ed circulated today that Secretary Bryan had tendered his resignation to President Wilson as the result of the bloodshed at Vera Cruz. Tumulty said the story was absolutely without foundation.

WRITING NECESSARY TO JOIN THE ARMY

Bernard Egan, La Crosse recruiting officer, gives the following list of requirements to join the United States army:

Height, five feet four inches; weight, 120 pounds; hearing and sight, normal; ability to read and write the English language; first citizenship papers. Any form of disease, any physical defect such as a missing finger or toe, lack of ordinary intelligence or flat footedness will bar applicants. The most common trouble discovered in applicants, he declares, is defective eyes.

VISIT WESTERN PRISONS

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—President Ralph E. Smith and Secretary Matt Tappins of the state board of control have left on a trip to visit prisons in the middle west, with especial attention to the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan. They will return May 1. The board will meet May 5.

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THE TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

FRECKLES AND FREEDOM

By A. MARIA CRAWFORD

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Ever since the days when they wore curls and pigtails down their backs Polly Moore and Jane Sanford had championed the cause of Dan Cameron. Dan was not lovely to behold, for he had freckles and a shock of red hair.

The particular social set to which the smart boys and girls of Dan's age belonged refused to admit him when he suddenly made his appearance in their midst. The snubbing accorded him by everybody except Polly and Jane, did not worry him in the least. He only laughed, called the boys "sissy" when they wore gloves or overshoes, and if they were foolish enough to disagree with him he proceeded to roll up his sleeves and display them until they were only too glad to be friends with him. Physical prowess impressed the girls, but they did not offer him the privileges of the juvenile elite. Polly and Jane were the exceptions. They recorded to play games when Dan was not included, and at their own parties he was invariably the favored guest.

When he was nearly thirteen his family moved away, and when, four or five years after, he had finished college, Dan returned to his childhood home, it was impossible to believe that the handsome, well-groomed young fellow could ever have been ornamented with hundreds of unusually freckles and a mop of unruly red hair. The girls began pelting him with invitations. It was rumored that Dan's Uncle Alex had died, leaving him a splendid fortune, but even if he had possessed nowealth, Dan's good looks and charming manner would have insured him a welcome anywhere.

Dan's memory was evidently a good one. He spontaneously refused all invitations and spent his leisure time with Oliver Post pro tem. The girls were totally unlike enough in their methods to interest Polly, yet while she was sitting with the soulful blue eyes and a certain sincere candor that was always effective in getting her into trouble but never did, Jane was luring with dazzling black eyes and a cruel love of annexing everybody's scalps. Polly alone knew that Jane's engagement ring disappeared from her hand the day that Dan Cameron came back home.

"Jane will marry Dan. Just wait and see," prophesied Kate Carter on the afternoon before the big masked ball at the country club. "She is supposed to be engaged to Cousin Dick Carter, and he is so silly about her that he is too blind to see her game. I hoped Dan would love Polly."

"Polly is the better of the two," declared Mabel Lupton. "Who would have dreamed that Dan Cameron with his freckles and rainbow hair could be gradually transformed into a regular fairy prince? He has certainly had a finish in our own coin of our childish sandbins. He is polite to us but what a difference he makes when Polly and Jane are around."

"We were brought up with such absurd ideas of social prestige that the wonder to me is why we aren't even stiffer than we are. Dan must laugh in his sleeve at some of our efforts to consolidate him. Don't it looked that we aren't born with the knowledge we have to acquire with such bitterness? I'll see you tonight at the club. What are you going to wear?"

"I wanted to wear Aunt Margaret's sheperdess costume, but the skirt is too voluminous for turkey trotting, so in great coat and cocked hat I'm going as Napoleon. Nobody will recognize me."

The clubhouse presented a brilliant scene. Jackson vine and palms made a pretty background for the fantastic costumes of the dancers. Milkmaids with king's courtiers, gypsy lasses in picturesque attire told the fortunes of mighty lords, Hollanders flirted with gallant Frenchmen, and a queen made merry with a murderous looking cowboy. Jane Sanford made the sensation of the evening in her daring costume of a snake charmer. From the sinuous folds of her black, red and gold garments jewels flashed like the eyes of angry serpents. Dan Cameron, recognizing her, felt a curious revulsion of feeling.

"I think Dan Cameron is in love with Jane," he heard somebody whisper just back of him. "Isn't she wonderful tonight?"

"Perfect," returned another voice, admiringly.

Polly Moore came into the ball room just then and almost unconsciously Dan started toward her. It was eminently fitting that they should be together, for by some chance trick of fate he had gone as Faust, and Polly was an exquisite Marguerite. Her fair hair fell in broad braids across her shoulders and the black ribbon that lived across her breast showed an undue bodice no whiter than her own throat and arms. Her spiritual beauty, so directly in contrast with the lure of Jane, seemed to him just then like a cooling breeze from the mountains. In a flash the problem that had been perplexing him was solved. Jane, advancing quickly, laid her hand on his arm.

"Dan, which dances did you ask me to save for you?" she asked. "I have forgotten. Will you go with me to get an ice? It is certainly warm in here."

The little figure of Marguerite that had waited for her approaching lover, Faust, paused uncertainly, then moved quietly away into a crowd.

"Wake up, Dan!" laughed Jane. "Have I charmed you into stupidity?"

He smiled then and answered her as they moved together, a strangely handsome pair, across the polished floor. He had not shown any favor to one of the girls without offering the same courtesy to the other one. Polly had overheard Jane ask which dances he had wanted reserved for him, when the truth of the matter was that he had not even mentioned the ball to Jane. Polly would believe that he had slighted her, dear little Polly whose happiness to him at that moment seemed the only thing at that moment seemed the only thing worth while in the world! He left Jane and went in search of her, but Polly was nowhere to be found. He watched the floor eagerly, and between dances he looked for her in all sorts of strange nooks and corners. Marguerite had vanished. He knew that he loved Polly and he wanted her. A gypsy girl in flaming scarlet shook her tambourine at him.

"You had better come and dance, Faust, before the devil gets you," she said, tossing her black curls.

Dan glanced at her, then dropped down on a bench and lighted a cigarette. "If he has any difficulty in finding me, show him here."

"Aren't you having a good time?"

"No, I'm not. I feel a lot as I did when I was a kid here. I don't seem to fit in this crowd tonight. I used to laugh and pretend I didn't care, but I did."

The girl sat down beside him. "Do you care—now?"

"Not for the crowd," he answered.

"But for—for Jane?" hazarded the gypsy girl.

He looked at her quickly. "Certainly not," he said, warmly, almost too warmly, he thought a minute later. "Jane is all right," he apologized, "but Faust—" He paused. "Faust, you know, loved Marguerite."

"The real Faust," suggested the gypsy.

"This make-believe Faust," he confessed. He felt that he must tell somebody of his love for Polly. He wondered why he had been blind so long.

"For a make-believe Marguerite?" questioned the shameless gypsy.

"For Polly Moore," said Dan, suddenly.

"Why, Polly loves—"

"Whom does she love?" He turned on her almost fiercely, tearing the mask from his face. "You know who I am. Whom does Polly love?"

"You."

She seemed only to breathe the word. Dan pressed it to his sleeve as she slipped away. The tam red fabric still in his hand, revealing a little black sleeve that was familiar. His head trembled a little as he touched her mask. The spangles glittered on her breast with her uneven breathing. She pulled off her curly black wig.

"Polly!" he cried. "Oh, Polly, I love you. I have hunted for you everywhere."

"I thought I could not be a real Marguerite without a Faust, so I slipped up stairs and put on an extra costume that somebody had brought for an emergency. I thought you loved Jane," she said softly.

He drew a deep breath like a man who shakes off a disturbing influence and is again free.

"I love you, Polly, only you," he said, and took her into the shelter of his arms.

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OLD COUNCIL HOLDS ITS LAST SESSION

Following Adjournment at Sparta, New Council Is Called to Order by the Mayor

SPARTA, Wis., April 22.—The old council held its last meeting in the city hall Tuesday evening to finish up their business. The meeting was called to order with all aldermen present. Reports of committees were listened to. The report of the city clerk, W. H. Blyton, shows a total expenditure of $31,974.52 for city purposes on 359 city orders.

Upon completing its business the old council adjourned, and the new was called to order. Aldermen Burton, Sutherland, Bergman and Steele were then sworn in. Bergman replaced F. E. Baldwin as alderman from the Third ward, and M. E. Steele took the place of Wynne Jones as alderman from the second ward. Mayor C. E. McMillan then announced committees for the ensuing year as follows:

Streets, sidewalks and bridges—Aldermen Kowitz, Jefferson, Brooks.

Accounts—Aldermen Sutherland, Burton, Steele.

Finance and taxation—Aldermen Burton, Brooks, Jefferson.

Ordinances and resolutions—Aldermen Brooks, Smith, Bergman.

Printing — Aldermen Bergman, Smith, Sutherland.

Fire department, public buildings and grounds—Aldermen Jefferson, Burton, Steele.

Street lighting—Aldermen Steele, Burton, Kowitz.

Sewers—Aldermen Smith, Burton, Sutherland.

The next business was the election of officers for the new council.

Alderman Burton, president of the council; W. H. Blyton, city clerk; Alderman Sutherland, comptroller, and Z. S. Rice, city attorney, were all re-elected. Chas. H. Miller was elected street commissioner to succeed E. I. Waring, who refused to serve longer on account of poor health. Supervisor G. F. Sellie of the Fourth ward was elected a member of the board of review; W. H. Baldwin was elected fire chief, and R. G. Wright weighmaster. William Burton, Dr. V. W. Stiles and W. H. Blyton were appointed by the mayor and confirmed by the council as the board of health, and Charles H. Millard was appointed chief of police.

Contests Friday

The league declamatory and oratorical contests are to be held Friday, night, April 24. The declamatory contest will be held in this city, and Miss Ruth Jewett and Miss Lorna Axtell will contest for Sparta. The contest for league oratorical honors will take place in La Crosse, where Ceo Mulark and Fred Steele will be the Sparta representatives.

The Monroe County W. C. T. U. held an institute in Temple hall today.

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The Pig Began to Squeal.

Daddy's Bedtime Story— How the Pig Saved the Old Woman

EVELYN had seen some very cunning little pink baby pigs that day, and she thought it would be lovely to have a little pig as a pet. She didn't think it would be so nice.

When daddy came home Evelyn's first question was, "Daddy, don't you think it would be lovely to own a little pet pig?"

"I think," Jack added, almost before Evelyn had finished asking her question, "that pigs aren't nice pets at all. They grow up too soon, and they lose their cunning baby looks. Don't they, daddy?"

"Yes," said daddy; "pigs are nicest on a farm. A farm wouldn't be complete without pigs, and the little ones are certainly very cunning.

"But just think how very lonely a little pig would be all by himself! And what would be more annoying, just think, now, he would squeal!

"I don't believe," said Evelyn, "that I do want a pig, after all. Not a pet, anyway."

"Now that we've decided that we won't have a pig as a pet, I think I will have to tell you the story of the old woman who did have a pig as a pet.

"This story shows how a pig's squealing, by the way, did once do a great deal of good.

"Once there lived an old woman all alone with her pig, and she had a great fault. She was very careless about fire and never cared where she threw her matches after she had lighted her fire.

"She made all manner of fun of the people who thought she was careless. But one time she learned a very good lesson, and she realized then that one cannot be too careful with fire.

"She was on her way to bed and before getting into bed lighted a fire in a little stove. Instead of throwing her match into the fire she threw it into the waste paper basket.

"The waste paper basket was full of scraps of paper, and slowly the match began to smolder. The old woman meantime went sound, sound asleep.

"Now, the pig had a basket to sleep in by the old woman's bed. He smelled the smoke and thought it was a very queer smell. But as the old woman seemed to be sleeping so quietly he thought he would not disturb her just to find out what the queer burning smell meant.

"Suddenly it burst into flames. Then the pig set up the noisiest, most constant squealing you ever heard. The neighbors were all awakened by it, and seeing what the trouble was, the fire department was called right out.

"The old woman was saved, but if had not been for the pig's squealing, which was so easily heard, she would have burned to death. After that she was pretty careful where she threw her matches, and she was more devoted than ever to her pet pig than ever before."

SPOTLIGHTS

"DAMAGED GOODS"

Richard Bennett comes to the La Crosse theater for one performance, Tuesday, April 27, in Brieux's startlingly frank play, "Damaged Goods," which was produced for the first time in America on March 14, 1913, and which enjoyed a long and successful spring and fall engagement at the Fulton theater, New York.

"Damaged Goods" deals with the social evil and the "social disease" and has as its theme a subject which has hitherto been tabooed on the American stage. The principal character is George Dupont, a young man who is suffering from a terrible blood disease. In spite of his physician's warning, he marries while still suffering from the infection, and in the second act, the author shows the terrible consequences.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO COUNTY COURT.

State of Wisconsin, County Court La Crosse County, ss.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the fifth Tuesday, being the 31st day of March, A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Ellis Purple, to admit to probate the last will and testament of Martin B. Ladd, late of the Village of West Salem, in said County of La Crosse, deceased.

By order of the Court,
HON. JOHN BRINDLEY,
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Attorneys for Petitioner.

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COLLEGE BAND TO PLAY HERE

Musical Organization of Luther College to Appear in Concert Here Sunday Evening

The Luther college concert band which will appear at the La Crosse Theater Sunday evening, April 26, leaves Decorah, Iowa, the home town on April 24th. They will give a farewell concert there on that evening. The next day they play at the Auditorium at St. Paul, Minn. Concerts will also be given in Madison, Beloit, Stoughton, Chicago and New York. The band has also been accorded the honor of being invited to play before President Wilson at Washington.

The band has made two trips to the Pacific coast, and have already signed a contract to play at the exposition at San Francisco in 1915.

The band is composed of sixty-two men, all of whom are students of Luther college, Decorah, Iowa.

The program to be rendered at the theater here the 26th is as follows:

Overture to Alfieri's "Saul" ....
.....Antonio Bazzini
Peer Gynt Suite ..... Grieg
(a) Morning
(b) Aase's Death
(c) Anitra's Dance
(d) In the Hall of the Mountain King.
Second Hungarian Rhapsody...Liszt
Luther College Concert Band
On the Sea ..... Dudley Buck
Last Night ..... Kjerulf
Ingolf Grindeland, soloist
Norge Norge ..... Selmer
Luther College Chorus
Procession of the Knights, from "Parsifal" ..... Wagner
Phaeton ..... Saint-Saens
Wedding of the Winds (Waltz) ..... Hall
The Death of Custer, or The Battle of Big Horn..... Lee Johnson
Luther College Concert Band

SELECT CLASS SPEAKERS

The following have been selected to represent the graduating class on the commencement program: Eleanore Schwarzer, Raymond Grams, Knut Houck, Ethel Mabie, Thomas Skemp and Marie Wester.

It pains a thrifty man to think he can get no reduction on postage stamps purchased in large quantities.

C. C. SPINK DIES

ST. LOUIS, April 22.—Charles C. Spink, one of the best known sporting men in the United States, died this morning of stomach trouble, just one week after the marriage of his son, Taylor Spink, who with his father published the Sporting News.

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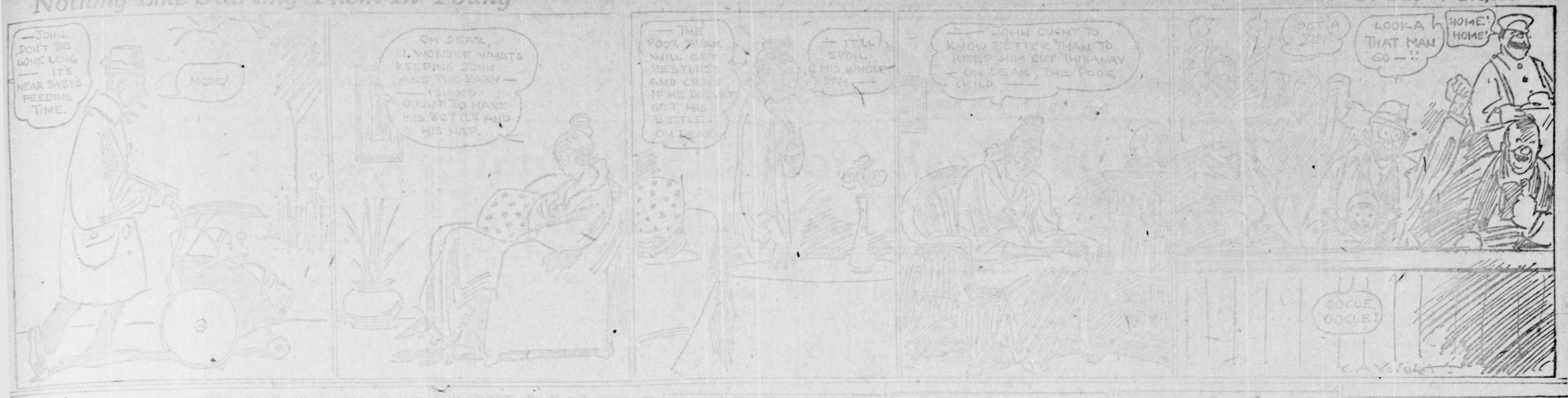
Millions of men and women now eat their favorite foods without fear—they know it is needless to have a bad stomach.

Get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store and put your stomach right. Stop being miserable—life is too short—you're not here long, so make your stay agreeable. Eat what you like and digest it; enjoy it, without fear of rebellion in the stomach.

Pape's Diapepsin belongs in your home. Should one of the family eat something which doesn't agree with them, or in case of an attack of indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis or stomach derangement, it is handy to give instant relief.

Nothing Like Starting Them In Young

By C. A. Voight



Why Pay Rent

If you own a lot or have money enough to buy one, we will build you a modern home or bungalow, on it without any down payments. You to pay us monthly about the same amount as you are now paying to rent. If interested write us and our representative will call on you. Address Home Builders, care of Tribune.

FOR SALE

Make me an offer on a good lot, in Hillview addition, facing park. Address 55 Tribune.

FOR RENT—Two office rooms, one with fire-proof vault. Batavian National Bank.

FOREIGN MARKETS

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, April 22.— Prices showed little change from yesterday's close at the opening of the stock market today. In view of Western developments the market's action was somewhat remarkably good.

Soon after the market was dull during the morning. Prices were irregular and there was weakness in some issues. Heavy pressure on Union Pacific caused to sell off to 106, recovered with 250 at yesterday's close.

2 p. m.—Little business was transacted in the early afternoon. Prices were firm.

The market closed strong.

New York Money

NEW YORK, April 22.—Money on call 1%.

Time money 2½% for 4 mos.

Prime mercantile 2½ to 3%.

Sterling exchange 10 15-16c; New York 60c.

Demand sterling 4.87 15-16.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, April 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,000; market steady to 10c lower; native steers, $6.50 to $9.10; cows and heifers, $4.50 to $8.25; stockers and feeders, $6.50 to $8.15.

Hogs—Receipts 11,000; market steady to 10c lower; bulk $8.25 to $8.40; heavy, $8.30 to $8.45; packers and butchers, $8.30 to $8.45; light, $8.20 to $8.40; pigs, $7.50 to $8.15.

Sheep—Receipts 11,000; market steady to 10c lower; lambs $8.25 to $9.10; yearlings, $7.50 to $8.25; wethers, $7.00 to $7.50; ewes, $6.50 to $7.00; stockers and feeders, $6.00 to $6.75.

Chicago Grain Review

CHICAGO, April 22.—Wheat was to the lower today, active buying at the opening on theory that the market was oversold. Predictions were known that the Mexican situation would have no decided effect on the market.

Corn opened with scattered bidding and improved 1 to 1½c on the short making over a fractional gain there after. Some advice from Argentine to the effect that torrential rains were doing serious damage caused shorts to rush to buy.

Oats moved up ½ to ¾c on account of the bulge in the other grains.

Provisions were firm and higher. The upward movement in corn and wheat continued in the afternoon with extreme gains of 1c to 2c. Oats advanced ½ to ¾c before the close.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
July	84½	87¾	84½	87¾
CORN—				
May	63½	64¾	63½	64¾
July	64	65¾	64	65¾
OATS—				
May	37¾	38¾	37¾	38¾
July	37¾	38¾	37¾	38¾
PORK—				
May	19.80	20.07	19.80	20.00
July	19.67	20.27	19.80	20.22
LARD—				
May	10.02	10.20	10.02	10.20

SALE

Household Furniture of all kinds. Prices slaughtered. Call at once. La Crosse Knitting Works.

Wanted—Female Help

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. Wm. Hixon, 1120 Cass street.

Popular Fiction
"DAMAGED GOODS," the play is coming April 27. Read the book, then see the play. Special in our Stationery Dept. per copy $1.00

DOERFLINGER'S.
YOU PAY LESS HERE

POPULAR MUSIC—Sung at the Majestic this week. When I Meet You on Love Avenue. He's a Devil in His Own Home Town. I'm Crying Just for You. Pipe Organ Rag. Special in our Music Dept. per copy 10c

Interesting Items in Wash Goods, Silks and Dress Goods for a Great Three Days' Sale

36 inch Wash Silks in fancy fast color stripes for Shirts and Wash Waists and Suits, yard 39c

58c to 75c Brocaded Pongee Silks and Brocaded Silk Tussahs, 27 and 36 in. wide, 20 different shades in several pretty styles for Wash Waists and Suits, yd. 44c

Yard wide Satin Messaline in Black and colors, $1.25 everywhere and a good value, 20 pieces Black and staple shades, yard 95c

Fancy Foulards in a very excellent assortment of styles that are new, 85c and $1.00 Cheney qualities, at yard 69c

French Crinkle Crepes, 40 inches wide, in the very latest shades as well as the more staple colors Black or White. The fashionable Crepe for combinations or entire Suits or Waists, yard $1.25

Extra 59c yard Special
All Wool Materials in fine Black Worsteds, Serges and handsome colored Wool Suitings and Vigeroux, every piece an actual $1.00 value, yard 59c

Printed 38 inch Oriental Crepe de Chines medium and dainty colored grounds, also White grounds. A real craze. One of the most popular fabrics of the season, yard 79c

Extra $1.19 yard Special
$1.50 and $2.00 Wool Materials. You will surely buy at sight. 50 and 54 inch pure Worsted Suitings, Serges, Diagonals, also Tussah Royal. Eponges, Gaberdines, $1.50 to $2.00 qualities, for Suits or Skirts, in Black and all colors, per yard $1.19

10c for finest quality 15c sheer White **India Linen.**

19c for **Ratine,** a 45c fancy Stripe Ratine for Suits and Wash Skirts.

48c for **Plain and Fancy Silk Cord** and *Nub Ratine,* very rich finish, all colors, that sell and are worth 75c yard.

59c for pure **French Ramie Dress Linens.** These in 12 splendid dress shades, also White, 48 inches wide.

77c for **40 inch Ratine,** always sold at $1.50 yard, in most every color, also a beautiful Brocaded Ratine in Brown, Tan, Cadet, Wisteria.

$1.98 for $3 **French Coatings,** Duvetyne, Velour and Coatelle materials in the most brilliant spring shades for wraps or coats.

Our READY-TO-WEAR of Special Interest To Children

Children's DRESSES
Women that are interested in Children's Dresses are specially invited to call and look through our lines of Children's Dresses just received in White or colored; you will find an endless variety of both kinds for ages from 2 to 14 years old Prices range 48c up to ... $18.50

Children's Spring Coats
Special for two days, one big lot of Children's Spring Coats made of a handsome quality Pongee, lined. This is a washable Coat and worth considerably more than we ask. Wednesday and Thursday at only $1.39

Children's SPRING COATS
Another lot of Children's Spring Coats, made of an all Wool Serge in Black and Navy, with a handsome White Collar, fancy button and a belt effect, regular $3.00 Coat, special for Wednesday and Thursday only at each ... $2.45

Good Evening!

WE CALL YOUR ATTENTION TO A FEW GROCERY SPECIALS

Prunes, choice Pelile, per pound 6c

Picnic Hams, Armour's fancy, per pound 14c

Ginger Snaps, fresh baked, per pound . 5¾c

Broken Rice, per pound only 3¾c

Coffee, Midway brand, per pound 14c

Broken Spaghetti, per pound at 3¾c

NO TELEPHONE ORDERS ACCEPTED ON THESE ITEMS AT THESE PRICES.

April Sale, Go-Carts



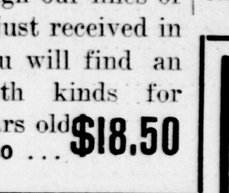
$3.38 for this one motion Go-Cart, collapsible Go-cart, upholstered and Hood, attachable rubber tire wheels. A regular $4.98 value.



$11.50 for fine Pullman Reed Go-Cart, Repp or upholstered, shellac or baronial finish, enameled gears to match. A regular $20 value.



$7.98 for the No. 65 Go-Cart, steel body, inclosed sides, full collapsible, 5-8 tire, a regular $10.00 value.



98c for Child's Sulky, with Rubber tires, Oak handle, Painted Red. A regular $1.50 value.



$13.75 for this Pullman English Carriage, ball-bearing nutless wooden wheels, Auto Hood with storm shields, one of the most beautiful carts made, a regular $20.00 value.

April Sale, Wall Paper



Large assortment of patterns with borders and ceilings to match, the biggest values we have offered this year, tomorrow at roll 3c

Kitchen and Bedroom Papers, in Blacks, Granite, Floral and Stripe designs and wanted colors, special at the roll 5½c

Heavy varnished Gold combination Papers with 9 to 18 inch borders to match, dark and medium colorings, good designs, at the roll..... 9c

5,600 rolls varnished Tile and Untarnishable Papers. All are 30c values, at the roll..... 11c

5,000 rolls of Two-tones, in shadow stripes, figured designs in art and crafts, etc., 30c values, roll..... 18c

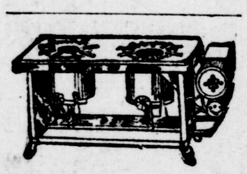
April Sale, Housecleaning and Summer Goods



49c for 100 square ft. Poultry Netting, 2 inch mesh, size 1 to 6 ft., value 75c.



98c for 2 Burner Hot Plate, made of heavy Cast Iron. Good gas saving burner, value $1.50.



$3.48 for 2 Burner Oil Stove, Blue flame, strictly odorless, value $4.00.



69c for, Boy's Iron Wagon, well made, medium size, value $1.



$1.79 for Clothes Wringers, wood frame, value $2.50.



19c for Springling Can, 4 qt. size, made of heavy tin, value 30c.



$1.25 for Square Hamper, with wood bottom, all willow, value $2.00.

DOERFLINGER'S.
YOU PAY LESS HERE

Special Sale of MILLINERY THURSDAY

We are offering in our Millinery Department for Thursday extreme reductions on Spring Hats

TRIMMED HATS
Trimmed Hats of the latest and smartest patterns, both imported and domestic models. Hats selling usually up to $6.00, at the special price of

$3.98

UNTRIMMED SHAPES
Untrimmed Shapes in a wonderful variety of styles at each $1.48

ROSES
A gorgeous assortment of Roses, special at
19c, 39c and 49c

U. P. STAFF MAN GETS BIG SCOOP

Correspondent's Code Messages Slipped Out of Mexico City Only Uncensored News

(Editor's Note — The following item was received today by The Tribune from its press service, the United Press. The note to editors which accompanied the story on the wire may be of interest. It follows: "Editors: Hereafter we will use Shepherd's name. This has been impossible heretofore on account of personal danger to him.")

Credit for the first big "scoop" of the war belongs to William G. Shepherd, staff correspondent of the United Press in Mexico City. Last Friday he succeeded in getting past the censor a message written in code which brought to the United States the first announcement that Huerta desired war. Shepherd's message, translated, read:

"General Huerta wants a declaration of war. This is his object in the present negotiations over the Tampico incident. He had been in almost constant conference with the cabinet and congress. It became known today that it is now his desire to bring about warfare between Mexico City and the United States on the theory that it will solidify the Mexican people in spite of his otherwise doomed government."

Developments of Saturday, Sunday and today have completely borne out Shepherd's code message.

William G. Shepherd served through the Madero campaign as a staff correspondent of the United Press, going into Mexico City with Madero and covering his election and inauguration. He then returned to the United States, and following an assignment to cover the Olympic games at Stockholm, was detailed for a year on staff correspondent assignments in Europe. He was recalled after the assassination of Madero and sent to Mexico where he has had charge of the United Press forces up to the present time. For reasons which are obvious the use of Shepherd's name heretofore has been impossible on account of the watch kept by Huerta on the work of American correspondents. Shepherd will remain in Mexico City as long as Charge O'Shaughnessy or any of the American officials remain. He will then join the American forces nearest the scene of action.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO COUNTY COURT.

State of Wisconsin, County Court La Crosse County, ss.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the third Tuesday, being the 21st day of April, A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Mary Proksch to admit to probate the last will and testament of Theresia Proksch, late of the Town of Greenfield, in said County of La Crosse, deceased.

By order of the Court.
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

W. F. & A. C. WOLFE,
Attorneys for Petitioner.

Wigg—Your reporter friend seems to use very high flown language. Wagg—Yes, he claims to have covered the first aviation meet ever held in this country.

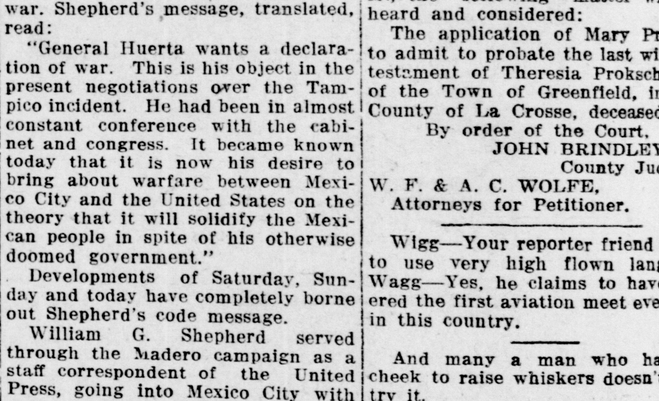
And many a man who has the cheek to raise whiskers doesn't even try it.

NEWS OF BATTLE OF VERA CRUZ ENTHUSES MAJESTIC AUDIENCE

When it was announced from the stage of the Majestic theater last night that American marines had occupied the city of Vera Cruz after an encounter with the Mexican federals in which 100 of the latter were killed, the audience started prolonged cheering.

The La Crosse Tribune's "extras" telling in detail the facts of the Vera Cruz fight, were distributed throughout the audience.

When enthusiasm was at its height the orchestra struck up the "Star Spangled Banner," standing as they played—and the audience, catching the spirit, with one accord, arose and sang the song to its finish.



Tells Positive Cure For all Foot Troubles

Science has proven that nearly all foot troubles originate from a common cause; that of injured tissues. The following information will be welcomed by thousands of victims of daily foot torture. No matter how many patent medicines you have tried in vain, this treatment, well known to foot doctors, will do the work. "Dissolve two tablespoonfuls of Calocide compound in a basin of warm water. Soak the feet for a full fifteen minutes, gently rubbing the sore parts." The effects are marvelous. All pain disappears instantly and the feet feel simply delightful. Corns and callouses can be peeled right off. Bunions, aching feet and sweaty smelly feet get immediate relief. Use this treatment a week and your foot troubles will be a thing of the past. Calocide works through the pores and removes the cause. Don't waste time. Get it at once. Any druggist has Calocide in stock or will get it from his wholesale house. A Twenty-five cent box is said to be enough to cure the worst feet. Don't be persuaded to take something else instead. Calocide is prepared only at laboratories of Medical Formula Co., of Dayton, Ohio, and Chicago, Ill.

START PLANS FOR COMMENCEMENT

TOMAH, Wis., April 22.—Plans have been started for the commencement of the local high school. Pres. Silas Evans of the Ripon college, will deliver the commencement address and Rev. I. G. Smith of this city, has been selected to deliver the invocation on that evening. The class play is "She Stoops to Conquer" by Oliver Goldsmith. Those who have been selected for the speaking parts of this play are Donald Compton, Raymond Reinhard, George Nichols, William Nuzum, Robert Murray, Charles Wright, George Johnson, Luella Reynolds, Mabel Baker and Hattie Borchert.

The program for class day has not as yet been given out. A class of forty-six will graduate from the high school this year, which is the largest in the history of the school.

There are several buildings and residences being erected this year and it promises to increase the growth of the city. Work is progressing on the building of the Franz Bros.' and the foundation has been laid for a residence of Mr. Ralph Taft which will be completed before the summer months.

The steam roller and stone crusher, which were used here last summer when new roads were being built, were shipped away on Tuesday.

Nearly all the concrete mixers belonging to the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway company have been shipped to points west after being over hauled and painted in the Tomah shops.

E. J. Hentington of Chicago is visiting relatives here.

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WILSON STANDS PAT AT VERA CRUZ
DRAFT CALL FOR 250,000 VOLUNTEERS
LA CROSSE OFFICER RECEIVES ORDERS

U. S. ON VERGE OF WAR WITH MEXICO FACTIONS UNITED FOR STRUGGLE

WASHINGTON, April 23.—With warlike preparations in progress on the Mexican border, diplomatic relations between the countries severed, General Carranza strongly intimating a constitutionalist alliance with Huerta, and a call for 250,000 American volunteers in process of preparation, the United States tonight stands upon the verge of war with a united Mexico, the declaration of which by General Huerta is hourly anticipated.

The situation seems to be exactly that which the United Press, in its secret code message smuggled through from Mexico City last Friday, warned President Wilson that the crafty dictator was attempting to bring about.

With this crisis pending, the feverish activity in administration circles at Washington is not so preoccupying as to bar consideration of grave and well-founded fears for the safety of Americans in the City of Mexico, where following the order expelling Charge O'Shaughnessy, Huerta seized the arms and ammunition in the American embassy, intended for its defense in case of rioting. The war department is plainly worried over the meagerness of information coming through from Mexico City, for it is realized that were the crisis there to result in a massacre of foreigners, the censorship would probably prevent news of the tragedy reaching this country.

That a conflict which, although its outcome can never be in doubt, may take years of time and cost thousands of lives, has actually begun is the opinion of military experts whose knowledge of Mexico furnishes a basis for accurate analysis.

Passports to Algara

Passports for Senor Algara and two other members of the Mexican embassy were sent by special messenger at 3:18 this afternoon to the Mexican diplomatic headquarters here. This was the last official note and the final breaking of all relations with the Huerta regime. All will leave tonight for Canada, the state department was advised.

The announcement that Charge O'Shaughnessy had been handed his passports was made at the state department about 3:20 this morning. Previously the president, Secretary of War Garrison and Secretary of the Navy Daniels had discussed it.

A plan of action based upon the condition that would of necessity follow O'Shaughnessy quitting the country was formulated. Its outline was carefully guarded so that it would not reach Mexico City.

Restore Embargo

The embargo on arms to the constitutionalists has been secretly restored by order of Secretary Bryan, who accepted the recommendation of the general council of defense.

At present there is no intention of making public announcement of the change. The border patrol will act seemingly on its own initiative and customs agents at ports of export will utilize the red tape of the service to delay movements of munitions as long as possible.

It is reliably reported here that Huerta and Carranza have already been in communication. Officials say they expect Huerta will issue an amnesty proclamation couched in the broadest terms, holding out the olive branch to the constitutionalists and demanding that they present a united front to the common enemy, the "gringoes."

Will Combine

As soon as this is issued it is believed the constitutionalists will agree temporarily to forget their differences and combine against the United States. It is expected an arrangement will be proposed by Carranza and Villa whereby they will operate in the territory they now hold while Huerta acts in central and southern Mexico.

It is realized that Huerta's strength will be immeasurably increased if he can get the co-operation of Villa's victorious hordes, and it is expected that as soon as any orders are issued for moving the army among the first will be one rushing all of the regiments now in the army posts of the north and the coast artillery equipped as infantrymen, to the border for possible action.

Can Call Guards

The national guard likewise can be sent to Texas as, although the president cannot order the guard out of the country, it is subject to his orders within our territorial limits and would prove a great factor in guarding the border and preventing a Mexican raid.

PROHIBITS EXPORT OF ARMS ON BORDER

Neither Constitutionalists Nor Federals to Get Equipment via El Paso to Juarez

EL PASO, Tex., April 23.—Acting on instructions from Washington, Col. C. P. Hatfield, commanding the Second cavalry brigade at Fort Bliss, at 11 a. m. today notified Collector of Customs Cobb to prohibit the exportation of arms and ammunition to constitutionalists or other persons through the El Paso port to Juarez or through the El Paso customs district at any point.

The constitutionalists have a shipment of 150,000 rounds of ammunition due to arrive today and also have orders for 1,500,000 cartridges enroute to El Paso.

UNCLE SAM HAS PLENTY OF CASH TO CARRY ON WAR

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Cash in Uncle Sam's war chest was tallied up today. A special war tax will not be resorted to, except possibly on liquor. The government is amply supplied with funds.

Secretary McAdoo reported that the treasury is in fine shape for any war expense. It has been decided that no changes in revenue laws to provide more money are needed. McAdoo has tentatively proposed that if an extra tax is needed later that it be levied on sweet wines and fortified brandies. Such a tax, he said, would produce $160,000,000 annually.

GEN. CARRANZA WILL JOIN HIS FORCES WITH HUERTA AGAINST UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON, April 23.—It is a practical certainty that General Carranza, rebel chief, will join with Huerta against the United States.

Carranza last night wired to President Wilson a statement that he regarded the occupation of Vera Cruz as an act of hostility toward the Mexican nation, and demanded that the marines now holding the city be withdrawn.

President Wilson refused. In a statement issued this morning he reiterated his assertion that the United States is making war upon Huerta, not upon the Mexican people, and asserted the right of the nation to enforce its demands upon whom it saw fit.

The vital paragraph in Carranza's message follows:

"The invasion of our territory and the permanency of your forces in the port of Vera Cruz are a violation of our rights and will drag us into an unequal war with dignity, but which until today we desire to avoid * * * Huerta is a culprit and his individual acts never will be sufficient to involve the Mexican nation in a disastrous war with the United States, because he is not the legitimate organ of our national sovereignty."

The diplomatic language in which Carranza's note is couched is interpreted by the administration officials to mean that the rebel chief intends to combine with Huerta, and make common cause against the United States. Carranza in his statement, declares that the occupation of Vera Cruz was an act of hostility toward the Mexican nation.

President Wilson had especially disclaimed any act of hostility to the Mexican people, particularizing Gen. Huerta as the object of the American operations to secure reprisal for offenses at Tampico and elsewhere against the American flag.

Hoped for Rebel Silence

Consequently the Washington government had hoped the constitutionalists would remain silent and not interject themselves in the imbroglio. The Carranza letter, however, confirmed the fears of many officials that the constitutionalists might side with Huerta.

The note of General Carranza was privately interpreted by officials as an open threat. His demand for withdrawal of America nforces from Vera Cruz was a grave indication that United States troops might be forced not only to fight Huerta's army of impressed men, but the victorious rabble of Villa.

Wilson's Stand

The president made the following comment on Carranza's statement:

"I wish to reiterate with the greatest earnestness the desire and intention of this government to respect in every possible way the sovereignty and independence of the people of Mexico. The feeling and intention of the government in this matter is not based upon policy. They go much deeper than that. They are based upon a genuine friendship for the Mexican people and a profound interest in the re-establishment of their constitutional system. Whatever unhappy circumstances or necessities may arise, this object will be held strictly in view and pursued with consistent purpose so far as this government is concerned.

Must Punish Huetra

"But we are dealing with facts.

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Gen. Venustiano Carranza who as constitutionalist leader defies United States and will join forces with Huerta.

EIGHT KILLED AT VERA CRUZ WHEN CITY IS OCCUPIED

Total of Twelve Men in American Uniforms Have Died in Chasing the Mexicans from Port

EXPECT MAAS TO TRY RECAPTURE

He Is Fifteen Miles from City with 1,000 Men and Is Expecting Reinforcements

LOST TRAIN GETS IN SAFELY

Cars with Refugees from Mexico City Finally Arrive Unharmed at Vera Cruz

BY BERNARD RUCKER
(Staff Correspondent United Press.)

VERA CRUZ, April 23.—Vera Cruz was quiet early today with the armed forces of the United States preserving discipline among the city officials as well as the private citizens, but the marines and bluejackets who have faced the bullets of snipers for two days do not believe their work is near completion.

Twelve Killed

Twelve men wearing the uniform of the United States have been killed and thirty-nine have been wounded in the street fighting of Tuesday and Wednesday.

An attack on this important sea port in an effort to drive out the Americans would not surprise the men here.

General Maas, military governor of Vera Cruz, who fled from the city

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ORDER MC ARTHUR TO GET MEN FOR HOSPITAL CORPS

Regimental Surgeon Is Instructed to Secure Enlistments to Augment Those at Viroqua

MILITIA APPOINTS CUSTODIANS

Companies M and B Name Men Who Will Care for Company Property in Case of Call

RECRUITING FULL WAR STRENGTH

Holway Says Wisconsin Guard Will Be on War Footing in Few Days and Ready to Entrain

MAJOR D. S. M'ARTHUR, LA CROSSE, SURGEON OF THE THIRD REGIMENT, WISCONSIN NATIONAL GUARD, TODAY RECEIVED ORDERS FROM ADJJUTANT GENERAL ORLANDO HOLWAY TO ENLIST SIXTEEN MEN FOR THE HOSPITAL CORPS TO SUPPLEMENT THE HOSPITAL CORPS AT VIROQUA, WIS.

CAPTAINS BRADLEY AND FOWLER OF B AND M COMPANIES TODAY RECEIVED ORDERS TO RECRUIT TO FULL WAR STRENGTH AND TO PREPARE THE LOCAL ARMORIES SO, IN CASE THE COMPANIES ARE CALLED OUT AND HAVE TO AWAIT MOVING ORDERS. THE MEN

(Continued on Page Six.)

BATTLE ON BORDER IS IMMINENT AS U. S. SOLDIERS ENTRENCH

TODAY'S DEVELOPMENTS IN THE MEXICAN SITUATION

President Wilson issues statement diplomatically warning Carranza and others that they will join Huerta in opposing American demands at their peril.

Grave fears for Americans in Mexico City.

Diplomatic relations with Mexico severed.

Charge O'Shaughnessy in Mexico City given passports by Huerta.

Charge Algara in Washington called to state department and handed passports by Secretary of State Bryan.

United States refuses to evacuate Vera Cruz as asked by Carranza.

Unofficial embargo placed on the shipment of arms into northern Mexico.

Total of eight Americans killed in the capture of Vera Cruz reported in dispatches from Admiral Fletcher.

Consular agents ordered to spare no expense in getting Americans out of Mexico.

Rear Admiral Mayo at Tampico reports all quiet in that city.

Warlike preparations at Tia Juana, across California border.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The war department has completed the draft of a call for 250,000 volunteers. It will not be issued until necessary, but most of the officials believe the necessity will soon arrive.

No volunteer organizations not connected with the regular militia will be considered by the war department for Mexican service.

This was made clear today to several Massachusetts militia officers, who accompanied by Senator Weeks, called upon Chief of Staff Gen. Wotherspoon.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 23.—The Mexican federal commander at Tia Juana, Mexico, 18 miles south of here, today ordered all non-combatants to leave there, evidently anticipating a fight with the United States troops sent to the border from Fort Rosecrans. The women and children are being taken to Ensenada and all of the men are being forced into the service of the federal army.

United States troops, just across the border, are throwing up entrenchments at San Ysidro. Captain Condon, commanding the United States soldiers, announced that all women and children will be ordered out of San Ysidro today.

The Tia Juana garrison was reinforced by the arrival of 150 troops from Ensenada today.

The feeling between Mexicans and Americans here runs high. After a number of clashes between United States sailors and Mexicans, Mexican Consul Barron issued hand bills urging all Mexicans to refrain from demonstrations or war arguments. The police have stopped the sale of all firearms to Mexicans.

The torpedo boat flotilla sailed at 10 o'clock for Mexican waters. Its destination is Mazatlan.

The American flag over San Isidro school was taken down today following a fist fight between trustees, who were divided over its removal. It was feared the Mexicans would fire on the school house if the afig remained. Capt. Page, commanding the United States troops at Tecate, San Diego county, has reported the Mexicans have evacuated Tecate.

It is reported the Mexicans are marching to Tia Juana to join forces there.

EIGHT MORE KILLED NINETEEN WOUNDED IN FIGHT YESTERDAY

WASHINGTON, April 23.—In a telegram received at 3 a. m. today at the navy department from Rear Admiral Badger, the following list of casualties in fighting Wednesday at Vera Cruz was reported.

DEAD:
Marine corps:
RUFUS EDWARD PERCY
SEAMEN:
L. O. FRIED.
W. I. WATSON.
F. T. DELOWRY.
A. S. STREAM.
C. A. SMITH.
H. G. DEFABIR, gunner's mate.
FRANK DEVORICK.
SERIOUSLY WOUNDED:
Marine corps:
Lieut. J. P. Laren, ordinance officer battleship New Hampshire
SLIGHTLY INJURED:
Sergt. M. Fitzgerald; Private J. Peoples; Private A. G. Ebel; Private H. E. Holsinger.
Bluejackets:
H. Pullian, fireman; C. M. Guilloan, seaman; W. Ponkowski, seaman; H. J. Kapplen, seaman; W. M. Bass, seaman; C. L. Nodsiek, seaman; J. L. Bennett, coxswain; K. Christy, seaman; H. E. Botile, seaman; J. Cantwell, no rating; A. E. Doe, seaman; .... Robinson, seaman; L. W. Taylor, no rating; F. N. Kalmers, no rating.

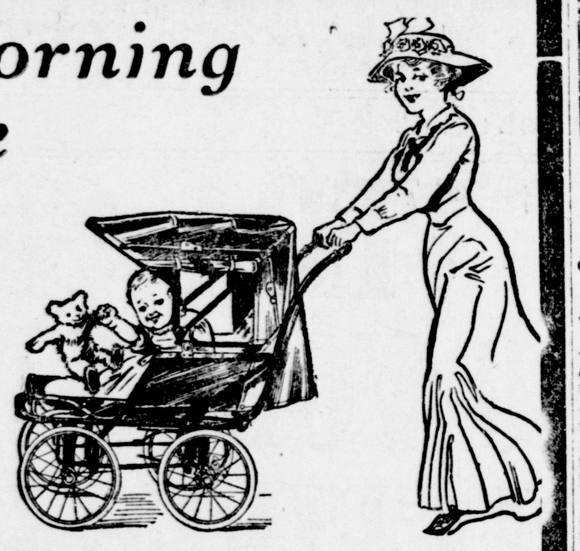
NO OPINION NOW

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 23.—No opinion in the Illinois woman suffrage test case will be rendered until June, the supreme court announced today on adjournment.

MILLER FOR SENATE

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 23.—Hugh T. Miller of Columbus was today nominated by the republican state convention for United States senate.

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THE TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

BONNIE LADDIE

BY MOLLY M'MASTER

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The court of the apartment house was unusually quiet.

Doris Vane marveled at this fact while she sat beside her open window. She was glad of the stillness because it gave her a moment to concentrate on the situation that was troubling her. She was contemplating the advisability of marrying Edward Kelly, and the thought had its drawbacks and its charm.

Doris had met the society man at a reception. She herself had been the soloist, and Kelly had sought her acquaintance.

"I have everything to offer you," he had said not ten minutes earlier when he had left her at the door of her small apartment. "You need struggle no longer with your music. I will lavish everything on you that money can buy."

"I doubt if you could buy me happiness." Doris had answered in a musing voice.

And that was the question she was trying to answer as she sat in the darkness and stillness of the court. "Certainly it would be as easy to love a man with money as one without," she decided.

Out of the silence there came the appealing cry of an infant. Doris raised her head to a listening attitude. Edward Kelly was forgotten instantly. There was a baby crying somewhere in that court.

"I hope some one will go to it soon," thought Doris. She listened, all attention. The night was warm and the windows open in most of the apartments. She decided that the child's cry came from the room next her own boudoir. A fire escape practically joined the two rooms.

The crying continued and the small voice began a most imploring call for "Mamma—Mamma, dear."

Doris became tense waiting for the footsteps of the mother that would assuredly rush to her baby's side. To Doris there was nothing quite so wonderful as a child. She had often wondered if she would not spend every waking and sleepinf hour in adoration of one of her own.

Heavy footsteps in the room so near her own stopped her thoughts and arrested her ear. A deep, masculine voice was attempting to console the awakened baby. There was a clumsy, unaccustomed kind of a note in the man's efforts that seemed only to raise fresh outbursts. That the man was on the verge of distraction was evident.

Doris laughed a trifle hysterically so great was her desire to step across that fire escape, take the baby in her arms and rock it to sleep.

As a last resort the man began singing. Doris caught a swift breath. The man's voice was so big and gruff that she feared the baby would roar its terror to the entire neighborhood.

When she heard the words of the terrible little song that was serving as a lullaby Doris shook with mirthless laughter. "There's a Bully Gone to Rest!" That seemed to be the only ditty known to the man. He repeated it time and again to the thud of heavy boots.

The small, tenderly sweet voice of the child demanded other music, "Rock-a-by-Baby, Bonnie Laddie—Bonnie Laddie!"

Doris choked back the lump in her throat. She knew not whether the piteous appeal of the baby for its lullaby or the efforts of the man to satisfy it roused her emotion.

She could stand it no longer and stepped out of her window and across the fire escape to that other apartment.

"Shss!" she cautioned, peering into the candle lit room and discerning the man just about to exit hurriedly, "I will sing the baby to sleep." She stepped within the darkened room, and leaning over the crib crooned softly to the baby.

The man, startled out of his senses, stood looking and listening to what seemed to be an angel visitant.

Finally he found voice to remark, "His mother said to give him a bottle if he woke up. I was just going to get it."

"Put it in a tin of hot water for a few minutes—until a drop of milk is warm on your wrist," Doris ordered softly, and continued her singing.

"Bonnie Laddie!" demanded the small voice and Doris felt glad that she was Scotch, and that the baby's command was one she could fulfill.

When David Rogers returned with the bottle the baby was dozing off and the girl took it gently from his hand while she sang "My Bonnie Highland Laddie" in the most beautiful voice in the world.

Relieved that a woman had come to his rescue, awed at the manner of her coming, spellbound at the picture she presented there beside the crib in the candlelight and thrilled to the soul because her warm fingers had touched his when she took the bottle, David seemed as one bereft of the power of speech.

Doris arranged the bottle in a slanting position that the baby might drain it easily. After that she cast a long wondering look at the beautiful pansylike face, motioned David to quit the room softly and went noiselessly out and into her own room.

In the light of the next day she viewed her act as human. She would do the same thing over again should a baby's cry summon her. Doris felt that any woman with a heart in her breast would have rendered like service under the same conditions.

"The poor man," she reflected, as she recalled the look of distress on the masculine face, 'would have lost his mind in another moment."

During the day David Rogers was haunted by the girl who had come so mysteriously to his rescue. He had told his sister about the experience, merely because he half doubted the happening. Perhaps he had dreamed it; it might have been an hallucination brought on by his fearful desire for a woman's help when the baby had awakened and he was alone in the apartment with him. He began to hope, as the days flew by, that his sister and her husband would go out again for the evening and that the baby would be left in his charge—that he would waken and that the wonder girl would appear once more.

If her own face haunted David Rogers, Doris was in turn possessed by a longing to see the pansy-like face of Bonnie Laddie. In the elevator she found him one day and his mother was with him.

"Oh!" she cried, excitedly, "I thought I was never going to see my bonnie laddie again!" A moment later Doris and Mrs. Lane were in deep conversation.

"David did not tell me a thing about your kindness," ejaculated the young mother. "I wonder why."

"Perhaps your husband was under the impression that he had dreamed of my visit," suggested Doris, the while she made friends with the baby boy.

"My husband! It was my unmarried brother whom you rescued," Mrs. Lane said with a laugh.

Thus it was that David Rogers, coming home from the office toward 6 o'clock, found his small nephew having the time of his life with a very lovely some one who resembled the girl of the candlelight. She was sitting on the floor of his sister's drawing room, and her golden head was bent over a great tower of blocks that she was building for an unusually bonnie laddie. He was laughing even as David wanted to laugh because the girl was actually within his sight.

"Then you were not an hallucination?" he said, smiling frankly into Doris Vane's eyes. "I have been afraid you were." He hoisted the youngster high in his arms and returned him to Doris. "No—please, do not get up. I want to feast my eyes on a dream come true."

A brilliant color flew into the cheeks of Doris and later, after a most wonderful evening, she sat beside her window looking into the still night. She was not pondering on the advisability of marrying Kelly. It was David Rogers of whom she thought.



LUTHER COLLEGE CONCERT BAND
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TICKETS 50c, 75c and $1.00

NO DISTURBANCE ON THE BORDER

All Quiet Along Line Despite Expectation that Rebels Will Line Up with Huerta

EL PASO, Texas, April 23.—Despite the letter General Venustiano Carranza sent to President Wilson, indicating that the United States would be compelled to fight a united Mexico, Juarez and El Paso are unruffled today and there was no sign of a disturbance. There is a strong under current of bitter feeling, however, and the greatest care is being exercised by the authorities of both cities to prevent any clash.

Perfect quiet today marked the military establishments on both sides of the river. The publication last night of General Carranza's letter cast a damper on the great reception being given in honor of Col. H. R. R. Loughborough of the Twentieth United States infantry. It caused most of the officers to leave for their homes.

Elfrino M. Franco, editor of "El Libre," a radical Huertista daily, who has been spreading sedition here by calling upon Mexicans to arm and defend their country against an American invasion, and by denouncing Villa and Carranza and urging constitutionalist soldiers to desert to Huerta, was arrested last night. His printing plant has been seized and is under guard.

Six hundred Spanish Americans, Mexicans by blood, but citizens of the United States, met at the court house last night and adopted resolutions tendering their services to the American government "to do anything whatsoever we may be called upon to do to preserve peace and dignity of the city and county and to serve the United States in whatever capacity it may require."

STORE INCORPORATES

Articles of incorporation for the Berg & Jones department Store Co. of Rockland were filed with the register of deeds this morning. The capital stock of the new firm is $20,000. Following are the parties of the corporation: N. C. Berg, S. R. Jones, W. O. Jones, Thomas Davis and Albert Onstine.

Carelessness is nearly always the most costly item in an expense account.

WRITING NECESSARY TO JOIN THE ARMY

Bernard Egan, La Crosse recruiting officer, gives the following list of requirements to join the United States army:

Height, five feet four inches; weight, 120 pounds; hearing and sight, normal; ability to read and write the English language; first citizenship papers. Any form of disease, any physical defect such as a missing finger or toe, lack of ordinary intelligence or flat footedness will bar applicants. The most common trouble discovered in applicants, he declares, is defective eyes.

NO TUBERCULAR MILK

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—It is the law of the state that cream from milk taken from tubercular cows may not be sold in Wisconsin. Attorney General Owen gave this ruling to Dairy and Food Commissioner Emery. It will operate to abrogate a proposed rule of the state livestock sanitary board allowing cream from such cows to be sold.

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EATON TO LECTURE AT NEARBY CITY

Noted Speaker to Be at Prairie du Chien Next Sunday for Two Lectures

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN, Wis., April 23.—E. L. Eaton, D. D., a noted Chatauqua lecturer, is to speak at the M. E. church next Sunday both morning and evening and will also lecture at 2:30 in the afternoon.

Booker T. Washington, head of the famous Tuskegee institute in Alabama, will be in the city next Monday afternoon, April 27th and will speak at the Metropolitan theater in the interests of his school work.

The pupils and teachers of the Keewatin school arrived in the city Sunday and this week resume their regular work.

The fortieth annual ball given by the city fire department will take place this year on Friday evening, this week, at the Grand opera hall.

Work was commenced this week on enlarging and remodeling that part of the Cecka block occupied by the Cecka and Robeshek shoe store. The building will be extended south to twice its present length and divided on the first floor into two store rooms. The upper story will be finished in a large hall and the entire building renewed with brick.

Rev. W. A. Munday of Lancaster, will hold services next Sunday at the Trinity Episcopal church at 8 and 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Mrs. J. D. Day and sister, Miss Hazel Neston left Tuesday for Dubuque, where Mrs. Day will visit for several weeks at the home of her parents.

David Ballentine of Bloomington, was in the city Monday, making the trip by automobile.

Mrs. William Bockh is a patient at the Prairie du Chien sanitarium.

The Wisconsin Valley league oratoraical and declamatory contest takes place at Boscobel Friday evening. Prairie du Chien high school will be represented by the Misses Alice Stuart and Beatrice Speck and by Charles Phillip.

VISIT WESTERN PRISONS

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—President Ralph E. Smith and Secretary Matt Tappins of the state board of control have left on a trip to visit prisons in the middle west, with especial attention to the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan. They will return May 1. The board will meet May 5.

A S... Failed.

Mother—What are you doing, Harry? Harry—I'm countin'. You told me when I got mad to count a hundred. Mother—Yes; so I did. Harry—Well, I've counted 237 and I'm madder'n when I started.—Chicago News.

CHEER WAR NEWS AT EAGLE FEAST

Most Stirring Demonstration of Patriotism Witnessed in City Takes Place at Banquet

500 STAND AND SING NATIONAL AIR

Judge Karel Presents Fred Hartwell and Chas. Dittman with Life Memberships in Order

A demonstration of patriotism, the most stirring witnessed in La Crosse since the Mexican war appeared over the horizon, took place at the banquet which officially opened the new Eagles' club rooms, last night, when 500 men rose to their feet, cheering and sang the "Star Spangled Banner" through, after hearing war dispatches.

The demonstration followed the reading of Tribune dispatches from Vera Cruz, recounting that eight American fighters had been killed in the occupation of the city. As the bulletin ended there was an instant's silence, and then Orchestra Leader John Kreutz swung his men into the national air. As one man the banqueters rose to their feet, shouting, and broke into the song.

The banquet last night was the most successful function given so far by Aerie 1254. The hall and gallery were crowded to hear the speakers, who included Judge John C. Karel, State President William Armstrong, State Secretary John Nichols, Dr. T. H. McGovern and Local Secretary C. S. Dittman.

A feature of the evening's entertainment was the presentation to Attorney Fred H. Hartwell, the toastmaster last night, and to Secretary Dittman, of life memberships in the order. The presentation was made by Judge Karel. Each of the recipients responded gracefuly to the ovation which followed announcement of the gifts.

STUDENTS TO CELEBRATE

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—Following the announcement that four American marines had been killed in Vera Cruz, a crowd of fifty University of Wisconsin students who intend to enlist, gave a demonstration through the streets of Madison.

There are a lot of cheap men, although the women are blamed for low wages in many fields of endeavor.

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The Mud Palaces Were Beautiful.

Daddy's Bedtime Story—

The Fairies' Mudpie Party For The Mud Turtles.

MUD pie making had certainly been very popular of late. Daddy had noticed it, and so he spoke in the evening to Jack and Evelyn about it.

"Have you been making mud pies lately?" he asked.

"Yes, indeed, we have!" said Evelyn. "My dolls say that there is nothing they enjoy so much in the spring as a good mud pie. Do fairies ever make mud pies?"

"Oh, yes," said daddy; "they certainly do! The fairies never miss any games or parties or good times, you know. And they enjoy everything. They had a real mud pie party the other day."

"Did they have any other guests or just themselves?" asked Jack.

"It was a very big party, really," said daddy. "They gave it in the first place for the mud turtles. But they invited the frogs, the toads and some of the lizard family as well."

"My, it must have been a big party!" said Evelyn.

"Yes," continued daddy; "it was a very big party. The fairies hadn't had a very big party for some time, and they thought it would be lots of fun to have this one.

"They also thought it would be nice to give it for the mud turtles. They thought the mud turtles were very quaint and interesting. Besides that, they had never heard of a party being given in honor of the mud turtles, and they were sure it would please them.

"Everything was in readiness for the party before the guests arrived. The party was given near a swamp, so there was just loads of mud.

"They had delicious looking mud pies made up in the center of the swamp, one for each guest, and with a little present attached.

"But what pleased the guests more than anything else were the wonderful decorations the fairies had made.

"There were palaces, castles, gardens with terraces and parks. There were forts with soldiers and ships with sailors on board. And all these things were made out of mud. Really they were very marvelous, and all the turtles and toads and lizards thought the fairies certainly could make the most wonderful fairyland, no matter whether they made it with green moss and flowers or with plain, ordinary mud, for really the mud palaces were the most gorgeous you can imagine.

"And the fairies felt their party had been a success because the mud turtles were satisfied with the party given in their honor and were really, if the truth were told, just as proud as peacocks that the fairies had done so much for them."

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WHAT CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION DOES

(BY J. M. WYLIE)

The state civil service commission has recently come in for its share of damning as one of those "useless state bureaus," and it has variously been called a figurehead and a job trust, to sustain the assertion that state jobs are still filled with political favorites and incompetents. So Secretary J. A. Hazelwood, who happens to be also a prominent democrat, was asked what his commission was supposed to be for, anyway, and if it was accomplishing its purpose. This is his reply:

The Wisconsin civil service commission seeks to eliminate politics, religion, friendship and relationship as considerations for state service, and insert in lieu thereof merit and fitness for the work to be performed. In the early history of our government the scholar, statesman and politician were one and the same person. The merit system was truly put into operation during the early history of our country without civil service provisions. George Washington selected his subordinates wholly on the basis of fitness for the duties to be performed. He refused to appoint relatives to public office. Jefferson went further and reluctantly appointed friends to positions in public service.

The spoils system came into existence during the days of Andrew Jackson. During the first twenty-five years of our nation's history there were but thirty changes or dismissals of employes in public service. During "Old Hickory's" first term there were 2200 removed from public service owing to political beliefs, and at the behest of friends Andrew Jackson appointed henchmen in their places. Inefficiency in public service resulted.

WISCONSIN FELT THE BALEFUL INFLUENCE OF THE SPOILS SYSTEM FOR MANY YEARS. AT EACH CHANGE OF STATE OFFICERS AND CHANGE OF SUPERINTENDENTS OF OUR INSTITUTIONS THERE FOLLOWED A GENERAL DISMISSAL OF EMPLOYES. EFFICIENT ONES WERE DISMISSED AND INEFFICIENT ONES TAKEN INTO THE STATE SERVICE. Frequent changes in employes in any service cannot be otherwise than detrimental.

All the large cities of the country and most of the states of the Union have civil service provisions for the selection of subordinate employes. THE CIVIL SERVICE LAW IN WISCONSIN WAS ENACTED BY ALMOST UNANIMOUS VOTE OF THE LEGISLATURE IN 1905. THE APPOINTING AUTHORITIES OF THE STATE ARE NO LONGER TOOLS OF POLITICAL FRIENDS IN THE MATTER OF THE SELECTION OF THEIR ASSISTANTS. PRIOR TO THE ENACTMENT OF THE CIVIL SERVICE LAW MANY OF THE APPOINTING AUTHORITIES WERE MERELY PUPPETS JERKED BY UNSEEN STRINGS WHEN IT CAME TO A MATTER OF APPOINTING PEOPLE FOR STATE SERVICE.

Men in public life are coming to realize more and more that they are placed under great trusts and responsibilities, and no man has the right to use his trust for his own selfish ends. Graft and corruption have resulted in many of our municipalities on account of the indifference on the part of the public towards the selection of public officials.

THE WISCONSIN CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION HAS NOW ABOUT 2,500 EMPLOYES UNDER ITS SUPERVISION. MOST OF THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN TAKEN INTO STATE SERVICE SINCE 1906 HAVE BEEN EMPLOYED AFTER PASSING COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS. PUBLIC SENTIMENT IN WISCONSIN IS BACK OF THE CIVIL SERVICE WORK. ANY CITIZEN IN THE STATE WHO HAS THE ABILITY AND DESIRE, HAS A RIGHT TO SERVE THE PUBLIC IF HE BE THE BEST QUALIFIED FOR THE RESPONSIBILITY. The state of Wisconsin is entitled to the best service of the best men and women it can secure for the money it is willing to pay. The best men and women can be held to the highest standards of efficiency, and be made to feel that it is an honor to render public service.

We are a government of men, and we can have no government better than the men who administer it. In the administration of the laws of the state there are positions that require men of large initiative and executive ability; there are others that require only ordinary ability on the part of those called upon to perform the service. This being true, it naturally suggests that great care must be exercised in the selection of men to fill the various positions.

The Wisconsin civil service commission has the work so well organized at the present time that the merit system's usefulness is sure to increase. There is a lot of room for the extension of the system in the state; in fact, APPOINTING AUTHORITIES ARE CONSTANTLY CALLING UPON THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION FOR ITS ASSISTANCE IN THE SELECTION OF EMPLOYES NOT BY LAW PLACED UNDER CIVIL SERVICE. This fact suggests that the commission has the confidence of those in authority to select employes. NO ONE IN WISCONSIN WHO IS SERIOUS WITH HIMSELF DESIRES TO RETURN TO THE OLD SYSTEM OF SELECTING STATE EMPLOYES.

THE ATTACKS MADE UPON THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION DURING THE FORMER YEARS OF ITS EXISTENCE PROVED TO BE UNJUTIFIABLE. THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION HAS UNDOUBTEDLY SUCCESSFULLY ACCOMPLIHED ITS PURPOSE IN SELECTING EFFICIENT MEN AND WOMEN FOR PUBLIC SERVICE. Public sentiment cannot be created anywhere in the state among thinking men unfavorable to the excellent work being carried on by the civil service commission. It is the desire of the representative citizens to extend, enlarge and encourage the work of the civil service commission.

PLAN CLASS MEET

At a meeting of the executive board of the normal athletic association it was decided to hold a class meet on May 16. Besides the junior and senior class teams there will be a team from the physical course and one from the college students. This meet is being held so as to get a line on the men in order that a good team may be developed for the inter-normal meet.

A lot of unhealthy people are found around the celebrated health resorts.

Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

Old-Fashioned

I've eaten round for many years and
got along some way,
But I don't hanker much for no
huttel or swell cafe.
Of course their cookin' is all right
for these here city folk
Who never had no better, but to me
it is a joke.
The fine French names they fasten
on the grub don't cut no ice;
And then, again, it's really not a
matter of the price.
I know of something that beats all
their fancy pies and cake—
Then bakin' powder biscuits that my
mother used to make.

Of course, that's what they all say
and the subject's mighty old.
But it brings back some memories
you couldn't buy for gold.
You fellers all remember 'em. Your
mother made 'em, too;
It was a simple little trick these
high-toned chefs can't do.
I've searched the country over, but
I've searched it all in vain,
It somehow seems to strike me I'll
ne'er taste their like again.
The cookin' schools ain't graduating
pupils who kin bake
Them bakin' powder biscuits like my
mother used to make.

Team Work

"How did you manage to see everything in Rome inside of two days?"

"Well, you see, we got up early; my wife went to the shops, my daughter to the picture galleries, and I took in the restaurants. In the evening we compared notes."—Exchange.

No Elevators for Him

Cyrus (entering the sixteenth-floor office of the Syndicate building, perspiring and panting)—Them stairs must be several miles long!

Occupant of Office—Why didn't you come up in one of the elevators there?

Cyrus—Not much! I jes' see one of 'em full o' people fall down that hole there!

His Fish

Cook—The gang has the laugh on Beanbrough.

Frye—What's the idea?

Cook—When Beanbrough was in Florida he sent what he said was a postcard picture of a big fish he caught.

Frye—That so?

Cook—Yes; but you know, he is a trifle nearsighted, and the postcard he picked out bore the picture of a submarine boat.

The Dream Was All Right

Donald was troubled with indigestion, which made necessary a careful supervision of his diet. One night at dinner he asked for a second helping of dessert.

"No, Donald," said his aunt. "Don't you remember the last time you ate so much pudding how it made you dream about lions and tigers and all sorts of wild animals?"

"Well, I don't care," he whimpered, "it made me dream that I had a great big gun there, too!"—Delineator.

Hot and Cold

"Every time I see grandfather's sword I want to go to war."

"Well?"

"But every time I notice grandfather's wooden leg I cool down."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Poor Service

"I do have the worst trouble with the phone."

"What's the cause?"

"The service, of course. Let me show you. 'Hello, exchange, hello. Why don't you answer? I want Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Julia Brown. What number? Sixty-two Tanglefoot street. Number? I just told you. O, that? You mean her telephone number? Why, it's—there, you've gone and put it all out of my head. I'll have to look in the book. Dear, dear, the book is upsteirs. Well, I never in all my life saw such service!"

Couldn't Fool Him

The farmer bought a pair of shoes in the city shop. "Now, can't I sell you a pair of shoe trees?" suggested the clerk.

"Don't get fresh with me, sonny," replied the farmer, bristling up; "I don't believe shoes kin be raised on trees any more'n I believe rubbers grow on rubber trees or oysters on the oyster plants, b'gosh."

Wanted a Chance

Little Bertha was invited out to dinner with her father and mother; before she went, however, it was firmly impressed upon her mind that she must not speak unless spoken to. All went smoothly for a while, but when some time had elapsed, and no notice was taken of her, she began to get uneasy.

Finally the hostess, seeing something was wrong, asked her what she would like next.

"I should like to have you begin to ask me questions," was the polite reply.—Lippincott's Magazine.

Cold Matter of Fact

Customer—Are these five or six wedding rings all you have in stock? Why, you've got a whole trayful of engagement rings.

Jeweler—Yes, sir, and it will take that whole trayful of engagement rings to work off those five or six wedding rings."

LAWRENCE STUDENTS PARADE.

APPLETON, Wis., April 23.—The first war demonstration here occurred when 100 Lawrence students were ready to enlist.



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"GETS-IT" is sold by all druggists, 25c a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.



"I Feel Like Hugging Somebody. My Corns Are Gone At Last. 'GETS-IT' Did It."



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By HAROLD MACGRATH

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"An incident," she repeated.

"Could I be more?" with sudden fierceness. "Could I be more in any woman's life? I take myself for what I am, but the world will always take me for what I have done. Yes, I am Paul Ellison, forgotten, I hope, by all those who knew me. Why did you come into my life to make bitterness become despair? The blackest kind of despair Elsa Chetwood, Elsa! . . . Well, the consul is right. I am a strong man. I can go out of your life, at least physically. I can say that I love you and I can add to that good-by!"

He wheeled abruptly and went quickly down the gallery, bareheaded, without any destination in his mind, with only one thought, to leave her before he lost the last shreds of his self-control.

It was then that Elsa knew her heart. She had spoken truly. She was a pagan; for, had he turned and held out his hands, she would have gone to him, gone with him, anywhere in the world, lawfully or unlawfully.

XIX.
Two Letters.

Elsa sang. She flew to her mirror. The face was hers and yet not hers. Always her mirror had told her that she was beautiful; but up to this moment her emotion had recorded nothing stronger than placid content. Now a supreme gladness filled and tingled her because her beauty was indisputable. When Martha came to help her dress for dinner, she still sang. It was a wordless song, a melody that every human heart contains and which finds expression but once. Elsa loved.

Doubt, that arch-enemy of love and faith and hope, doubt had spread its dark pinions and flown away into yesterdays. She felt the zest and exhilaration of a bird just given its freedom. Once she slipped from Martha's cunning hands and ran out upon the gallery.

"Elsa, your waist!"

Elsa laughed and held out her bare arms to the faded sky where, but a little while since, the sun had burned a pathway down the world. All in an hour, one small trifling space of time, this wonderful, magical thing had happened. He loved her. There had been hunger for her in his voice, in his blue eyes. Presently she was going to make him feel very sorry that he had not taken her in his arms, then and there.

"Oh, beautiful world!"

"Elsa, what in mercy's name possesses you?"

"I am mad, Martha, mad as a March hare, whatever that is!" She loved.

"People will think so, if they happen to come along and see that waist. Please come instantly and let me finish hooking it. You act like you did when you were ten. You never would stand still."

"Yes, and I remember how you used to yank my pig-tails. I haven't really forgiven you yet."

"I believe it's going home that's the matter with you. Well, I for one shall be glad to leave this horrid country. Chinamen everywhere, in your room, at your table, under your feet. And in the streets, Chinamen and Malays and Hindus, and I don't know what other outlandish races and tribes. . . . Why, what's this?" cried Martha, bending to the floor.

Elsa ran back to the room. She gave a little gasp when she saw what it was that Martha was holding out for her inspection. It was Warrington's letter of credit. She had totally forgotten its existence. Across the face of the thick Manila envelope (more or less covered with numerals that had been scribbled there by Warrington in an attempt to compute the interest at six per cent) which contained the letters of credit and identification was written in a clerical hand the owner's name. Martha could not help seeing it. Elsa explained frankly what it was and how it had come into her possession. Martha was horrified.

"Elsa, they might have entered your room; and your jewels lying about everywhere! How could you be so careless?"

"But they didn't. I'll return this to Mr. Warrington in the morning; perhaps tonight, if I see him at dinner."

"He was in the next room, and we never knew it!" The final hook snapped into place. "Well, Wednesday our boat leaves;" as if this put a period to all further discussion anent Mr. Parrot & Co. Nothing very serious could happen between that time and now.

"'Wednesday night." Elsa began to sing again, but not so joyously. The petty things of every-day life were lifting their heads once more, and of necessity she must recognize them.

She sat at the consul-general's table, informally. There was gay inconsequential chatter, an exchange of recollections and comparisons of cities and countries they had visited at separate times; but neither she nor he mentioned the chief subject of their thoughts. She refrained because of a strange yet natural shyness of a woman who has found herself; and he, because from his angle of vision it was best that Warrington should pass out of her life as suddenly and mysteriously as he had entered it. Had he spoken frankly he would have saved Elsa many a bitter heartache, many a weary day.

Warrington was absent, and so were his enemies. If there was any truth in reincarnation, Elsa was confident that in the splendid days of Rome she had beaten her pink palms in applause of the gladiators. Pagan; she was all of that; for she knew that she could have looked upon Mallow's face with more than ordinary interest. Never more would her cheeks burn at the recollection of the man's look.

She was twenty-five; she had waited longer than most women; the mistake of haste would never be hers. Nor did she close her eyes to the future. She knew exactly what the world was, and how it would act. She was not making any sacrifices. She was not one of those women, lightly balanced, who must have excitement in order to exist; she depended upon herself for her amusements. With the man she loved she would have shared a hut in the wilderness and been happy. One of the things that had drawn her to Arthur had been his quiet love of the open, his interest in flowers and forests and streams. Society, that division of classes, she had accepted, but to it she had never bowed down. How very well she could do without it! She would go with him and help him build his bridges, help him to fight torrents and hurricanes, and to forget. That he had bidden her farewell was nothing. She would seek him. In her pursuit of happiness she was not going to permit false modesty to intervene.

(To be Continued.)

The Home Beauty Parlor.

by Betty Dean

Vera B.: Yor skin will grow soft, clear and smooth after a few applications of a plain almozoin jelly-cream, made at home as follows: Put 4 tablespoonfuls glycerine into ½ pint water and in this dissolve 1 ounce almozoin (which you can buy at your druggist's). Apply a thick coat of this to the skin before retiring, then wash off in the morning and use more of the jelly-cream for massaging. This gradually dispels the wrinkles and lines and banishes pimples, blackheads and the "muddy," oily look. The almozoin jelly-cream is greaseless and will not grow hair.

Mrs. A. T.: You may not require glasses. Get from your druggist 1 ounce crystos and dissolve in 1 pint water. Then put a few drops in the offending eye several times a day until inflammation and soreness have vanished. This crystos eye-tonic is especially good for granulated eyelids and using it strengthens the eyes and gives them a youthful sparkle.

Adeline: The reason for that dryness of hair after your shampoo is because that kind of soap irritates the scalp's tissues and makes them over-sensitive. Canthrox will correct this, for it it a tonic as well as cleanser and is so stimulating to the blood-vessels and scalp-tissues that the danger is entirely eliminated. To prepare your shampoo, dissolve a teaspoonful of canthrox in a cup of hot water, then pour it slowly on the head as you rub briskly. This dissolves every trace of dust, dandruff and excess oil, and after rinsing, the hair will dry quickly and evenly.

Lucy G.: Loss of weight is a serious matter and calls for prompt action. Get from your druggist 1 ounce kardene and put it, together with ½ cupful sugar, into ½ pint alcohol, then add hot water to make a full quart. Take a tablespoonful before each meal. This simple, home remedy increases your appetite and gently cleanses the system of impurities, restores a healthy condition to the vital organs. When this is done your weight will be normal and the glow of health will be upon your cheeks.

Mrs. A. R. J.: I make a good lotion that is very helpful to my skin by dissolving 4 ounces spurmax in ½ pint witch hazel or hot water, to which is added 2 teaspoonfuls glycerine, which will soon correct that oily, sallow, "wornout" appearance of your complexion. This simple lotion is soothing and healing and imparts a velvety smoothness and natural loveliness to the complexion not possible with powder and rouge. You will like the spurmax lotion because it is easily applied and cannot be detected when on.

Lucile: I always use a plain quinzoin hair tonic, made at home by pouring 1 ounce quinzoin into ½ pint alcohol, then adding ½ pint water. Rub a little well into the scalp twice a week and you will soon rid the scalp of dandruff and restore the hair roots to health. The regular use of the quinzoin tonic will restore the former gloss and even color to the hair and make it soft, long and fluffy.

Mrs. M. N. T.: Your excess weight can be easily and quickly reduced by taking this parnotis treatment, made at home, as follows: Put 4 ounces parnotis (which you can get at your drug store), in 1½ pints hot water and strain when cool. Take a tablespoonful before meals until weight is where you want it. No harm results from the use of the parnotis treatment, and the flesh is left solid and the skin soft and smooth.

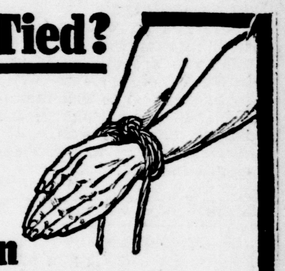
Betty Dean's Beauty Book, $5.—(Adv.)

KENOSHA MEN WITH FLEET

KENOSHA, Wis., April 23.—Four Kenosha young men are with the fleet now at Vera Cruz, the list including Fred Palmgreen, JJr., a gunner's mate of the New Jersey; Tony Paccinni, a gunner on the flagship Arkansas; Richard Rehm, on the Michigan, and William Knietberger, on the New Jersey. All have been in the navy for several years.

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Do you know of a veteran in the county?

If you are one or if you know of one, please write or telephone The Tribune office, 323 either 'phone, the names and addresses.

The Mexican war was declared in 1846.

Paris dandies are now wearing sandals. Quite a saving in socks, at any rate.

CHARLES JAEKEL GOES TO REWARD

Charles A. Jaekel died yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock at his home, 2003 Michel street, after a two days' illness with a complication of diseases. He was 48 years old.

Mr. Jaekel was born in Germany March 26, 1866, coming to this country and La Crosse with his parents at the age of 6 years. He has lived here since. For a number of years he was a glazier, later following the paint and wall paper business.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Anna Jaekel, six children, Agnes, Leona, Meta, Elsie, Earl and Carl, all of La Crosse, one brother, J. G. Jaekel of La Crosse, and two sisters, Mrs. Albert Fischer of La Crosse and Mrs. Richard Loehn of New Orleans, La.

The funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home and at 2:30 at the German Lutheran church, Twelfth street and Cameron avenue, Rev. J. T. Gamm officiating. Interment will take place in Oak Grove cemetery.

Origin of Myths.

The human mind, whether that of the savage or the civilized man, is naturally a thinking machine. In early times, before science was born, the phenomena of nature required an explanation, and the savage beholder shaped the myth, which satisfied his untutored mind. It is out of man's natural craving to know the "reason why" that all myths are born. As the distinguished anthropologist, Tylor, puts it, "When the attention of a man in the myth making stage of intellect is drawn to any phenomenon which has to him an obvious reason he invents and tells a story to account for it." In such way all mythology originated.—Exchange.

The Recognition.

Friend—Hello, Pat! I scarcely knew you with your whiskers off. Pat—The same wid me, me bhoy. I didn't know meself when I looked into the glass except by the sound of me voice.—London Telegraph.

Huerta probably will defend his wine cellers against the constitutionalists with his last bit of strength.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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MINERS RETALIATE PEN OPERATORS IN BLAZING BUILDINGS

Savageness Marks Reprisal of Strikers for Death of Their Women and Children at Ludlow

PREPARE TO FIGHT THE MILITIA

Big Force Gathers Along Railway to Turn Back Reinforcements to Troops

SEAL 35 PERSONS IN BURNING PIT

Strikers Reported Standing at Head of Shaft Threatening Death to All Making Rescue Attempts

TRINIDAD, Colo., April 23.—Thirty-five persons, including five women and three children, reported trapped in the blazing shaft house of the Empire Coal company's mine at Empire, near Aguilar, are in grave danger of death, according to telephone advices from there at an early hour today. Twenty-five persons in the shaft of the Southwestern mine at Aguilar are said to be facing a similar fate.

Matthew Waddell, son of the superintendent, and his wife; Ray Wiswald, his wife and baby, and three other women and two children whose names are not available are said to be in the mine at Empire.

Late dispatches say 1,000 armed strikers are gathering at Aguilar and along the line of the Colorado & Southern railroad to cut off relief to the two mines, and to halt a troop train at Denver with reinforcements.

The burning of the Empire and Aguilar properties followed a day never paralleled in the history of American industrial warfare.

The burning of the Empire mine followed a clash early Wednesday between mine guards and southwestern Colorado strikers. Operators' representatives here accuse the strikers of throwing dynamite bombs and sealing the mouths of the mine against escape by the 35 persons imprisoned within. H. D. Kink, one of the owners, telephoned early today that the slope of the shaft had been destroyed and that the air shaft was the only path to safety. He asserted that 500 armed strikers surround the blazing pit firing into it and that the imprisoned persons include President Sipple of the mining company, living in Denver. He charges that strikers have asked him to remember how the women and children died at Ludlow and have threatened to "shoot anyone who goes to the rescue."

Operators early today said they had reports that six local properties are burning including the Victor-American Fuel company's Hastings and Delagaua mines; and the Green Canon mine of the National Fuel company.

Scores are homeless and missing and scores are reported hurt while on the hills, strikers await the coming of troops ordered from Denver and other northern Colorado points by acting Governor Fitzgerald last night.

It would be embarrassing if Mexico should decide to intervene in the United States and stop the lynchings.

FEARFUL HUMOR COVERED FACE—RESINOL CURED

Paterson, N. J., Dec. 9, 1913: "About a year ago my face began to crack and get scaly in blotches. It soon got worse and my face was all spotted and rough, and it itched me very much at night, and caused me no end of discomfort. After a month or so, pimples and blackheads began to show, first in small numbers and then gradually covering my entire face. It was awful. The pimples were sore and the rash was itchy and my face had a most unsightly appearance. I could get no relief. Resinol Soap and Resinol Ointment caused me instant relief. By the time another jar of Resinol Ointment and cake of Resinol Soap were gone, I can truthfully say that it was a complete cure. My face had assumed its former color and looks, due to Resinol Soap and Resinol Ointment. They are, I think, the best for any skin trouble." (Signed) Robert Troyano, 269 E. 21st Street. Sold by all druggists.

LA CROSSE WOMAN ANSWERS SUMMONS

Mrs. Antonia Miller, aged 53, wife of Julius Miller, died last night at 6:15 at her home, 415 Jackson street, after an illness of eight weeks.

Mrs. Miller was born in Germany, December 21, 1861, coming to this country with her parents when an infant. She was married 32 years ago to Mr. Miller.

Surviving are a widower, one son, Edward, two daughters, Mrs. Sophie Lee and Mrs. Henry Kowalke, one brother, Charles Horn and one grand child, Donald Lee, all of La Crosse.

The funeral will be held Saturday morning at 8:30 at the residence and at 9 o'clock at St. Joseph's cathedral, Rev. G. Sluyter officiating. Interment will be made in the Catholic cemetery.

DENNIS MERCIER CALLED BY DEATH

Dennis Mercier, 87, for many years a blacksmith on Vine street, died at 3 p. m. yesterday at the county poor farm.

Mr. Mercier was born near Montreal, Quebec, in 1827. He came to La Crosse during the civil war, setting up in the blacksmith shop now occupied by his brother, Eli Mercier, who is the only surviving relative. The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon from Miller Brothers' chapel. Burial will be made in Oak Grove cemetery.

ORDER FLEET OUT

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The third division of the Atlantic fleet now at Boston was ordered yesterday to sail for Mexico on April 25.

Her Classification.

A little girl, when asked by her teacher to distinguish between the human and the animal families, replied:

"A brute is an imperfect beast. Man is a perfect beast."—Ladies' Home Journal.



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BIRDSEYE VIEW OF VERA CRUZ



Birdseye view of Vera Cruz.

North Side Briefs

See Wm. Shay and Leah Baird at the Dreamland.

Mr. J. Keaveny is confined to his home, 527 Caledonia street, with illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Blake of West Salem, were the guests of north side friends and relatives yesterday.

Mrs. J. Lange of Sparta, was the guest of friends and relatives here yesterday.

Mrs. M. Kier who has been the guest of friends and relatives here, has returned to her home in Viroqua.

Mrs. G. Lange of Sparta has been removed to the St. Francis hospital with appendicitis.

Mrs. M. Fitzpatrick of Alma, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ryan, 620 Car street.

Mrs. M. Olson, who has been confined to her home, 1537 Berlin street with illness is improving.

Mrs. Gus Apel of Galesville, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Merwin, 816 Gillette street.

O'Neil's shoe store. Tennis bargains

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Knessel have moved their family and household goods from La Crescent to 836 Avon street.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vogel have moved their household goods from 1632 Charles street to 1517 George street.

Miss Anna Caldwell has returned to her home in Dubuque after visiting at the home of her uncle, Sam Knight, 2132 Wood street.

Mr. O. Molstad, West Salem, visited relatives on the north side yesterday.

Mrs. J. Burke, West Salem has returned after a brief visit on the north side.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Bethel church was entertained on Wednesday by Mrs. C. Gilberg.

Miss Alma Larson, St. Paul, has returned after visiting relatives on the north side.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Krenzie have moved their household goods from 925 Caledonia street to 1532 Avon street.

Mrs. C. Button, 1608 Charles street, has moved her household goods to the south side.

Mrs. F. Roth, 831 Rose street, ill at one of the local hospitals, is improving.

Mrs. C. E. Swartz, 717 St. James street, spent the day with her mother, Mrs. John Blankley in Onalaska.

E. Kuehn, West Salem, is visiting relatives on the north side.

Harry Craigo, Blooming Prairie, Minn., has accepted a position in the Farnham barbershop on Mill street.

FIRE DAMAGE $500

Fire yesterday afternoon damaged the residence of Mrs. C. A. Button, 1608 Charles street, to the amount of $500. It is thought that the fire started from a defective chimney. Mrs. Button was in the back yard when the fire started, and did not notice it until it had gained considerable headway. The partitions and ceiling were burned through in a number of places.

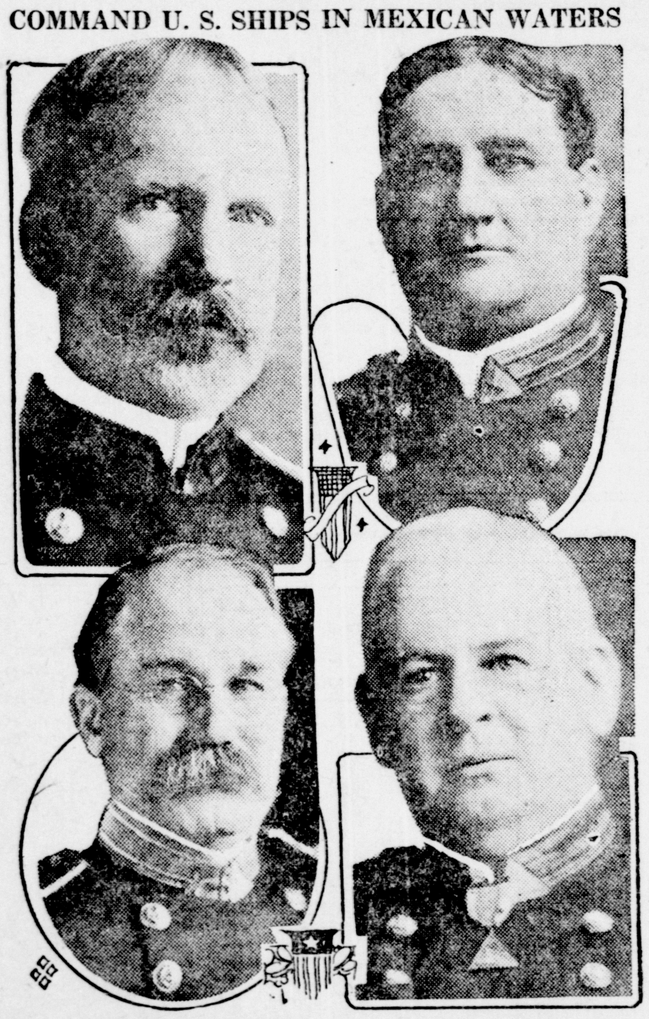
FUNERAL SATURDAY

The funeral services of W. S. Jamesson, who died yesterday morning at the age of 72 years, as the result of a fall last February, will be held Saturday afternoon at 2:30 at the home, 908 Mill street. Burial will take place in Oak Grove cemetery.



Scene in the Girl From Blue Wid ow at Majestic Theater

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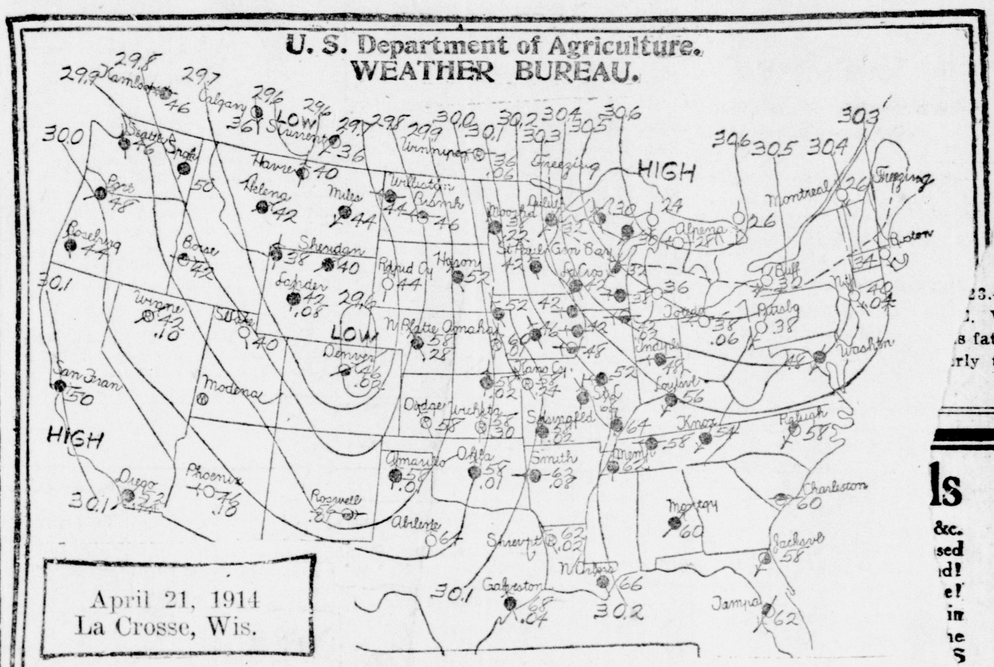
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EXPLANATORY NOTES.

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Boston	34	68	0
Charleston	60	70	0
New York	40	66	.04
Washington	48	86	0
Galveston	68	70	.04
Jacksonville	58	76	0
New Orleans	66	76	0
Chicago	42	48	.02

	(LO)	(HI)	(P)
La Crosse	42	63	0
Madison	38	52	0
Memphis	62	80	0
Milwaukee	38	44	0
Bismarck	46	62	0
Huron	52	68	0
Kansas City	58	76	.24
St. Paul	42	58	0

	(LO)	(HI)
Boise	42	64
Denver	46	64
Helena	42	56
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000 WOMEN SIGN AS NURSES

WASHINGTON, April 23. Women in all walks of are volunteering by dreds to serve as nurses he field, according to an uncement made by the Cross headquarters to- Already more than have been enrolled, gives the Red Cross than are likely to be red. From these will lected women who have dy had experience as es, as the war depart- will accept no others.

he list of world's mysteries, now include "Why is Harry " "How old is Ann?" and re is Dorothy Arnold?" why dd "Why resurrect Mrs. Gun- "

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possible to be well. The foe to good alth. Correct at once. *Ayer's Pills.* ne at bedtime. Sold for 60 years.
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TO ARM HOME GUARDS

AUSTIN, Texas, April 23. Governor Colquitt today gave official recognition to the many home guard companies that are being organized to protect the Texas border, by agreeing to provide them with arms and other equipment. The anti-American feeling among the Mexicans is very strong and appeals are being received by the governor from every town and community between El Paso and Brownsville for militia protection. The home guards are to be used for this purpose instead of the national guard, the latter being held under arms in readiness to respond to a call for mobilization by the federal war department.

WOULD USE FUNDS NOW

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Plans to make the appropriations of $142,000,000 in the annual naval bill immediately available for use because of the Mexican crisis were made today by the house naval committee. Several members, including democrats and republicans, agreed to take this unusual step, as the money would not be available until July 1 without the "emergency clause."

By walking across the country you can see more of it than a railroad tourist, and there are other ways of being foolish.

An Appropriate Name.

Aunt Liza's former mistress was talking to her one morning, when suddenly she discovered a little pickaninny standing shyly behind his mother's skirts. "Is this your little boy, Aunt Liza?" she asked.

"Yes, miss, dat's Prescription."

"Goodness, what a funny name, auntie, for a child! How in the world did you happen to call him that?"

"Ah simply calls him dat becuz Ah has sech hahd wuk gettin' him filled." —Exchange.

TWENTY-NINE LACROSSE MEN IN U. S. SERVICE

In Addition to Five Commissioned Officers Twenty-four Serve on Sea and Land

SEVERAL NOW IN FIGHTING ZONE

Three with Fleet and Three with Troops of Uncle Sam in Texas on the Mexican Border

SEVERAL ARE IN THE PHILIPPINES

However Majority Are In United States and Likely to See Service in Mexican War

In addition to its five commissioned officers, La Crosse and vicinity has a total of twenty-four men in the army and navy of the United States, making a total of twenty-nine in the federal service.

Of the five enlisted men, Ensign F. C. Beisel, Jr., and Lieutenant Walter Heiberg are graduates of the naval school at Annapolis, while Capt. E. E. Heiberg and Lieut. Loren Lawson are West Pointers. Capt. Brooks Shuman was an officer of Company M and won his stripes by distinguished service in the Philippines.

Of the twenty-four privates and seamen six are already in or nearing the fighting zone: Otto Molzahn, with the Utah at Vera Cruz, and Louis Harget, Charles H. Schwertfeger and Edwin Frederickson with the troops on the Texas border; Robert E. Brown, cruiser San Francisco, Tampico; Floyd Peterson, battleship South Dakota, enroute from Bremerton to Pacific coast of Mexico.

As near as can be learned the identity and distribution of the La Crosse men in the army and navy is as follows:

In the army:

Pope Robare, 407 North Seventeenth street, 27th cavalry, stationed at the Jefferson barracks, St. Louis.

Joe Engelhard, 630 North Seventh street, in Company E of the First regiment of the marines, at Olonpago, Philippine Islands.

Edgar R. Manning, 1506 Travis street, sergeant in the quartermaster corps, Honolulu, Hawaii. Manning has been in the army for the past three years.

Louis Harget, 1610 Badger street, in Company M, 28th infantry, at Galveston, Texas. Harget has been in the army for six years and is now serving in his second enlistment.

Charles H. Schwertfeger, 2311 Michel street, Texas infantry.

Roy Flannagan, 714 South Seventh street, regular infantry, whereabouts unknuown.

Larocque Dornbach, 528 Cass street, Ft. Gregg, Philippine Islands, for the last four years, now serving his second enlistment.

James C. Weldenberger, Midway, with the infantry of the regular army.

William D. Birreshdorn, enlisted from 303 South Third street, in the infantry of the regular army.

James G. Woodman, Cassville, with the signal corps of the regular army.

William E. Pagel, Houston county, Minn., infantry.

Carl Howard, Tomah, Wis., field artillery.

Soren Clausen, Bangor, coast artillery.

Douglas Nelson, Viroqua, Wis., infantry.

Bruno Hayes, infantry.

Mural Tyler, Prairie du Chien, field artillery.

Clayton Blanchard, 1003 Caledonia street, with Troop K, cavalry, Fort Mead, South Dakota.

Harold Hall, 1427 Avon street, with Troop I, 12th cavalry, Fort Mead, South Dakota.

Myrl Rand, Onalaska, cavalry.

Edwin Fredrickson, 812 Farnum street, infantry, New Orleans, probably now in or near Mexico.

In the navy—

Otto Molzahn, 609 North Fifteenth street, a marine on the battleship Utah, stationed at Vera Cruz.

Oscar Johnson, 416 Nofth Sixteenth street, marine, stationed at Bremerton, Wash.

Robert E. Brown, 1709 Prospect street, cruiser San Francisco, Tampico, now serving his second enlistment.

Floyd Peterson, marine, battleship South Dakota, at Bremerton, Wash., now bound for Mexico.

BOLLES SPENT $1.05

The election expense account of F. C. Bolles, successful candidate for member of the county board of education, was today filed with Andrew Thompson, register of deeds. Bolles spent $1.05 in his campaign.

Some aviators are getting only $2.50 a flight now. Perhaps they will soon be paying for the privilege of riding in airships.

Getting On.

"How did you come to buy that secondhand table?" exclaimed Mrs. Climber's husband. "We don't need it."

"That shows how much you know," replied his wife. "In one of the drawers I found a bunch of the most select visiting cards in the city. They will look lovely in our hall."—Washington Star.

See What You Can Get

at my drug store to beautify your home with—Mixed Paints, all sizes; Floor Paints, all sizes; Floor Varnish, all sizes; Japalac for furniture; Gold Paints for frames; Alabastine for walls; Wall Paper Cleaner; Bath Tub Enamel, and all kinds of Brushes.

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BEND EFFORT TO PUT AMERICANS OUT OF COUNTRY

Consuls Are Warned to Spare No Expense and to See that All Our Citizens Leave at Once

FEAR FOR THOSE IN INTERIOR

Persons in Stretch Between Tampico and Monterey Are in the Greatest Danger

MAY SEND RELIEF COLUMN

He Has Full Authority to Rush Marines Into the Interior to Assist Foreigners

WASHINGTON, April 23. — All foreigners, especially Americans, are being rushed out of Mexico. The administration, its fears for Charge O'Shaughnessy's safety relieved, was today bending every effort to get Americans to safety before the war storm breaks. Consular agents have been notified to spare no expense and that they must see that no Americans disregard instructions to leave.

The greatest fears are entertained for the Americans in the stretch of territory eastward from Monterey to Tampico and in the vicinity of Chihuahua. Part of this territory is held by constitutionalists, but most of it by Huerta's forces.

All along the route of the big oil concessions of the Waters-Pierce company in northeast Mexico are American men, women and children who have disregarded previous warnings to get out. It is said that they may be attacked by infuriated Mexicans who have learned of the fighting at Vera Cruz.

Admiral Mayo at Tampico understands this and it was believed that he is ready to act. He has full authority to take action needed. He can land marines and bluejackets and rush them into the interior to bring foreigners out where the guns of his warships can protect them.

Another danger point is the territory along the line of the Tehuantepec railway, peopled by foreigners. It is believed that warships have already been sent south to take possession of the railway terminals.

One can't stand on a street corner very long and gaze at some men without wondering what makes some insects so large.

Unrenewable Patent.

A lawyer who makes a specialty of patent cases was once engaged in a case before a country justice.

"Who are you anyway?" demanded the justice.

"Well," replied the lawyer, "I'm an attorney."

"P'raps you are, but I never heard one talk like you do. What kind of a one are you?"

"I'm a patent attorney."

The magistrate rubbed his chin in thought. "Well, all I've got to say is," he said slowly, "that when the patent expires I don't believe you can ever get it renewed again." — National Monthly.

LOAD VESSELS WITH REFUGEES ALONG COAST

WASHINGTON, April 23. —Admiral Mayo, in command at Tampico, wired the state department that there are now on board American refugees. More are expected tomorrow and they will be placed aboard merchant ships. Captains of the German and British cruisers in that port are aiding in the handling of refugees.

Admiral Badger alsao wired from Vera Cruz that he is sending the Esperanza, the chartered ward liner, with about 400 refugees to Galveston. The Esperanza will then return for more passengers.

Admiral Badger will charter the steamer Mexico today and send her to Tampico with the Cyclops, a collier, to transport other refugees to Galveston. Another rescue ship will be sent to Tuxpam. Admiral Badger estimated that the number of refugees arriving at Galveston will probably reach 2,000.

MISS ANNE MORGAN, BIG SISTER TO POOR GIRLS, TAKES THEM ON AN INSPECTION TOUR OF GIANT STEAMSHIP



Miss Anne Morgan and her girls on S. S. Imperator.

Miss Anne Morgan's pet philanthropy is the organization known as the Vacation Savings Fund. Fully two thousand New York girls whose salaries range from $3 to $30 per week, and who are taxpayers or depositors in this fund, accompanied Miss Morgan as she piloted them about the big steamer "Imperator" a few days ago. Never before has the great vessel's decks resounded to the tramp of the feet of so many pretty girls as followed in the wake of the "big sister" as Miss Morgan led them about on the tour of inspection.

SOCIETY

VISIT SPARTA UNION.

Mrs. G. Townsend and Mrs. Wm. McKivergin, of the local W. C. T. U., returned from Sparta last night, where they attended the institute of the Monroe County W. C. T. U. yesterday. They report an extremely fine meeting and declare the ladies of the Sparta union royal entertainers. The members of the local union are hoping to have an opportunity to return the courtesies extended by the Sparta organization.

MISS BOLAND ENTERTAINS

Miss Agnes Boland entertained a few friends Monday evening at the home of Mrs. W. K. Sheperd, 225 South Sixth street. Her guests were Miss Blanche Davis, Miss Ethel Williams of Sparta, Wis.; Messrs. E. C. Bandow, Walter Streitz and W. B. Bigelow. A buffet luncheon was served.

SOCIAL BRIEFS.

Miss May B. Atkins, who has been spending a number of weeks at Mobile, Ala., has returned home.

Mrs. Orlando Holway of Merrillan, who has been visiting friends a few days, will leave for her home today.

Mr. William Tarbox has moved into one of the Callahan houses, corner Tenth and Cameron avenue.

Miss Gertrude Hogan, who has been east for a number of weeks, has returned home.

FLUCKIGER-TANNER

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fluckiger, 214 Caledonia street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Marion E., to Mr. George F. Tanner of Dubuque, Iowa. The ceremony was performed last Saturday at the parochial residence of the Catholic cathedral in Dubuque.

LADIES' MINSTRELS

The ladies' minstrel, which will be given by the ladies of St. Paul's Universalist church, will have its first rehearsal tomorrow night in the church parlors. Miss Lillian Hall of Creston, Iowa, will train the performers.

ANNOUNCES CONVENTION

The annual state convention of the county clerks of Wisconsin will be held in La Crosse June 16, 17 and 17. County Clerk Bert Jolivette today received notice from the secretary of the association announcing the dates and that similar notices were being sent to all county clerks in the state. This will be the first county clerks' convention to be held in La Crosse.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO COUNTY COURT.

State of Wisconsin, County Court La Crosse County, ss.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse in said County, on the second Tuesday, being the twelfth day of May, A. D. 1914, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered, namely:

The application of Theodore Houser, executor of the last will and testament of Mary Houser, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County of La Crosse, deceased, for the adjustment, settlement and allowance of his final account as such executor and for the assignment of the residue of the estate of said deceased to such persons as are entitled to the same.

Dated April 8, A. D. 1914.

By order of the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

"PAID IN FULL" AT THE CASINO

"Paid in Full," the tremendous five-season theatrical success which enjoys a record run on Broadway, New York, has been adapted into scenario form and under the direction of Augustus Thomas of the All Star Feature corporation has been produced in a five-part moving picture of powerful strength. Tully Marshall, the originator of the character of the young husband, Joe Brooks, William Riley Hatch, who plays Captain Williams, the rugged old reprobate, and Hattie Russell in the part of Mrs. Harris, are of the original Broadway cast. Supported by a most unusual cast of favorite players, these artists have been persuaded to again appear in their old roles for the camera and are to be seen in the film production.

"Paid in Full" will be shown at the Casino theater for three days, starting this afternoon and continuing until Saturday night.

This is the first time a big attraction has been shown at any local picture theater for three days, but Manager McWilliams considers "Paid in Full" worthy of this distinction.

ROAD ANSWERS SUIT

The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad company today filed an answer to the damage suit brought by Louis Wellington for alleged injuries in a railroad acident. The answer sets forth that Wellington has already received $60 from the company in full settlement of his claim and that the suit was brought without his knowledge.

A West Virginia man has been sent to jail for one year for stealing three eggs. It is lucky that he didn't try to get away with a dozen.

FELICITY.

The world produces for every pint of honey a gallon of gall, for every dram of pleasure a pound of pain, for every inch of mirth an ell of moan, and as the ivy twines around the oak so do misery and misfortune encompass the happy man. Felicity, pure and unalloyed felicity, is not a plant of earthly growth. Her gardens are the skies. —Burton.

PERSONALS

Packages called for and delivered, 10c. Call 82.

Delbert Noetzel, 230 North Eleventh street, is recovering from an attack of diphtheria which has confined him to his home for two weeks.

Fred W. Kruse of Mankato, Minn., is a business caller in the city.

E. W. Olson, manager of the Kruse store here, is in Superior for the purpose of organizing a store there for the same company.

B. A. Yeomen dance Tuesday.

Rev. John T. Durward, chaplain at St. Francis hospital, has returned from a short visit in Baraboo.

Otto Gudenschwager has returned to Des Moines after a short visit here with his family.

Mrs. Otto Gudenschwager and children are the guests of Mrs. Gudenschwager's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Horstman in Brownsville, Minn.

Melvin Blazer of Eau Claire, Wis., is the guest of friends in the city.

Born, Tuesday morning, to Mr. and Mrs. Neil Pomeroy, 618 Cass street, a boy.

Electric vacuum cleaners for rent by the day or by hour. Thill-Manning-Whalen Co.

W. R. Cains has returned to Minneapolis after a short business trip to the city.

A. O. Kjome, Spring Grove, Minn., has returned after transacting business in the city.

George Bromley, who has been the guest of friends in the city, has returned to his home in Victory, Wis.

Carl Selbrade of Bangor spent a few hours in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. S. Whitbeck and daughter Doris have returned to their home in Caledonia after a short visit with friends and relatives here.

Hack calls day and night. Gateway City Transfer Co. Phone 179.

Joe Quillin of La Crosse transacted business in Caledonia recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Daley have returned to their home in Caledonia after visiting friends here.

Miss Sarah Iverson of this city is the guest of friends and relativesin Caledonia.

Mrs. J. L. Brahmer, Tomah, has returned after an extended visit with relatives here.

J. P. SCRIPPS DIES

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 23.—John P. Scripps, son of E. W. Scripps, died at the home of his father at Miramar, near here early today after a long illness.

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MAYOR MITCHEL OF NEW YORK, ASSASSIN WHO SHOT AT HIM, AND AIDE WHO WAS WOUNDED



JOHN F. RUSSELL IS DEAD AT HOME

Well Known Civil War Veteran Is Called in Milwaukee

Word was received here today of the death last night of John F. Russell at the soldiers' home in Milwaukee, where he went but two weeks ago. Mr. Russell was a member of John Flynn Post, No. 77, G. A. R.

John F. Russell was born in the village of Oswegatchie, St. Lawrence county, N. Y., on June 27, 1840. He lived in the neighborhood of Oswegatchie until the outbreak of the civil war, when he enlisted in Company C, Sixteenth New York infantry, going with the regiment to Ogdensburg and then to Albany, where they were ordered to Arlington Heights, Washington, D. C., going into camp below Fort Ellsworth. He was in the first battle of Bull Run, after which he was promoted to be a corporal and then to second sergeant and later, first sergeant. He was wounded on the second day of the seven days' fight below Richmond, being struck in the neck, leg and left arm with buckshot. In the battle at Salem church, he brought the company off the field, his superior officers being seriously wounded.

Mr. Russell participated in the following battles; Bull Run, Yorktown, West Point, Mechanicsville, Gainesville, Garrett's Farm, Savage Station, Charles City Cross Roads, Malvern Hill, Compton Gap, second battle of Bull Run, Antietam, first battle of Fredericksburg, the campaign under General Burnside, Deep Bottom, second battle of Fredericksburg, Salem Church, and the following skirmishes: Fairfax Road, near Fairfax Station, with the Fifth Alabama at Blackman's Fort, Pollocks Church, Accotink, Fairfax county, Va. Mr. Russell was discharged May 22, 1863, for disability.

He came to La Crosse March 23, 1866, for a time working on the construction of the Southern Minnesota railroad, at that time an independent railroad. He served three terms as treasurer of Houston county, Minn., and was the democratic nominee for state treasurer in 1882. Later he engaged in the real estate and insurance business in La Crosse.

He was married on May 1, 1867, to Electa A. Swenson of Houston, Minn. Mrs. Russell died March 15, 1910. Mr. Russell was a member of the Blue lodge and Royal Arch Masons, the Odd Fellows, Good Templars, Red Men, Ancient Order of Uinted Woodmen and John Flynn post, No. 77, G. A. R.

He is survived by seven children, W. F. Russell and Mrs. George Hale of La Crosse, Albert Russel of Madison, S. D., Mrs. Martin Stickle of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mrs. J. A. Williams, Ruel Russell, of Williston, N. D., Miss Effie and Archie Russell of Chicago. He also leaves one brother, J. C. Russell of Canton, Minn.

The body will be brought to La Crosse Saturday morning. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

BORAH KICKS AT MEXICAN STRIFE

WASHINGTON, April 23.—"Before another 48 hours we will be at war with united Mexico," declared Senator Borah this afternoon, in urging an amendment to the bill appropriating $500,000 for the bringing of American citizens out of that country. Borah demanded an amendment which would promise Mexico that we would withdraw from that country at once and leave it to regulate its own affairs.

"If our present policy is persisted in," Borah said, "it will eventually lead to seizure by the United States of every foot of land from here to the Panama canal. I want the congress to know that I would regard this as a national disaster, as a national crime. We will be in contention with the Mexican forces for so long that we will lose the habit of coming out of that country. I reiterate that if the flag goes up in Mexico it will never come down."

VETERANS OFFER SELVES

MINNEAPOLIS, April 23.—Fifty veterans at the Soldiers' home today wrote Governor Eberhart offering their service to President Wilson for "the picnic in Mexico." They said all were sound in wind and limb.

MEXICANS DESERT BORDER

LAREDO, Texas, April 23—The entire city of Nuevo Laredo, across the river, is being excavated by the Mexican federal soldiers and inhabitants. General Quintania today ordered five hundred federals and volunteers to leave for Saltillo and asked all Mexican citizens to accompany the soldiers. The train carrying the soldiers and citizens will leave this afternoon.

WATSON PICKED TO PITCH THE OPENER

Former La Crosse Twirler Selected for the Opening Game of Chifeds; Expect 25,000 Fans

CHICAGO, April 23.—Doc Watson, the former Cub twirler was slated to hurl the opening game for the Chifeds in Chicago this afternoon. Tinker believes he has a wonder in the southpaw, who should make a hit with the fans and is losing no opportunity to boost Federal atendance.

Ticket sales early this afternoon indicate that 25,000, Chicago fans will see the opener with Kansas City.

HAD ACID AND GUN; IS PINCHED

Andrew Mason, 1009 South Second street, is being held at central police station today because a bottle of carbolic acid and a loaded revolver were found in his possession when arrested for drunkenness yesterday, according to the police. The man's wife is said to have taken another bottle of carbolic acid from him earlier in the afternoon. Mason explained the acid and revolver by saying he had procured them to kill rats.

BATTLESHIP SAILS

BOSTON, April 23.—The battleship Nebraska sailed for Mexico from the navy yard here this afternoon. The Georgia and Virginia, the other two vessels of the Third division, will go out at 4 o'clock. Nearly 300 extra marines are divided between the three vessels.

ARMY STAFF MEETS

WASHINGTON, April 23. — The general staff of the army was convened today by General Leonard Wood, retiring chief of staff. It was believed they were considering orders for a general army movement to Mexico and that orders would soon be announced.

PRISON FACTORY BURNS

OSSING, N. Y., April 23. — Fire originating in the enameling room of the wagon works in Sing Sing prison early today destroyed the works and spread terror among the thousands of convicts. The loss was placed at about $600,000. About 180 convicts employed in the knitting works went on strike yesterday.

HUERTA SEIZES ARMS INTENDED FOR DEFENSE OF AMERICANS

NEW YORK, April 23.—A private message received here today from Mexico City declares that the government has established a strict censorship and that the arms and ammunition stored in the American embassy for the use of the Americans have been seized by Huerta. A company of federals was placed on guard at the embassy, the message stated. The excuse given for removing the American arms is said to have been that since a military guard had been established they would not be needed.

No definite word of an actual outbreak in Mexico City has been received here, but the private message stated that Americans were gathering in great number in the central portion of the city and it was feared an anti-American demonstration was being planned. Americans have been bitterly denounced since Vera Cruz was taken, it was stated, and it was believed they were safe from insult or actual attack only in the embassy.

Only recently a consignment of rifles was received in Mexico City for use by the Americans in case of trouble. General Huerta refused at first to admit the arms, but after considerable negotiating on the part of Charge O'Shaughnessy he obtained permission to bring them in.

EIGHT KILLED AT VERA CRUZ WHEN CITY IS OCCUPIED

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with the approach of the American marines, has been located at Tejeria, fifteen miles from Vera Cruz. He is said to have 1,000 men with him and expects reinforcements of 2,000 from Puebla.

Eight men were killed in the fighting yesterday. They were picked off by snipers who fired from the housetops or from behind corners.

No federal troops are in the town. In so far as the military in concerned the Americans have complete possession, but the men are in constant danger of being picked off by the natives of low caste.

Badger Takes Command

Rear Admiral Badger is now in command of the fleet in the harbor. Fletcher has appointed a complete staff and officials have been ordered to work under his direction. They have taken up their tasks with little evidence of good grace.

Fletcher expected today to receive word from Charge O'Shaughnessy, who has been given his passports in Mexico City, as to his arrival here.

Huerta has washed his hands of the territory immediately surrounding Vera Cruz, according to advices here. Trains will be furnished American refugees who wish to leave Mexico City and efforts will be made to see that they get out of the capital safely. On arriving within ten miles of Vera Cruz, however, the dictator will expect the American forces to see to the safety of the trains and passengers.

Huerta Talks Big

Reports here declare that Huerta has stated he will have 400,000 men in the field within twenty days. He is quoted as having declared that Mexico is "not only defending her national sovereignty but that of all Latin-America."

The trains which were "lost" between Mexico City and Vera Cruz have arrived here.

The 3,000 marines and bluejackets now in the city today turned with as much vigor as they showed in fighting, to work of peace in directing a cleaning up of that section of town in which the fighting occurred. A heavy detachment equipped with machine and field guns still occupied the main plaza today.

American Women Busy.

Most of the Americans who were quartered in the Hotel Deligencia on the main plaza, were aboard the refuge ship Esperanza today, but many stories of heroism of the women during the fighting yesterday are being told by the officers in command. The American women carried water to the wounded Americans and Mexicans alike, and when many were brought into the hotel the women acted as nurses, binding up wounds.

Mrs. Charles R. Hudson, wife of the vice president of the Mexican National railway, and Mrs. Thomas J. Ryder, wife of the manager of the Cowdray Oil interests; Mrs. Harry Archer and Mrs. Mary Crow took an active part in the work of the women. They were busy during a greater part of the day nursing wounded Mexicans. When the firing began the guests in the hotel left the rooms on the street and remained in inside rooms so that all escaped injury.

Jackie Kills Pal

Becoming excited when he saw a man approaching him while on sentry duty, a bluejacket shot and killed one of his fellow countrymen engaged in the occupation of Vera Cruz last night. This was learned today, but as the shooting was purely accidental, th nemes of the men were not given out here. The man killed was a member of the marines. The bluejacket fired only one shot, but that was fatal.

WASHINGTON, April 23. —By nightfall, acording to Secretary the Navy Daniels, it will be possible for the Americans to have a garrison of 5,000 marines and sailors ashore at Vera Cruz. There are now 3,300 on land and it is possible to put off 1,700 more.

Tonight the transport Mississippi with 500 additional marines will reach Vera Cruz. There are also on the way from Philadelphia 800 more marine on the chartered steamer Moro Castle.

ORDER M'ARTHUR TO GET MEN FOR HOSPITAL CORPS

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CAN SLEEP AND EAT IN THE BARRACKS.

The first intimation of a possible call for state troops came from the adjutant general Tuesday when orders were received for both companies M and B to appoint a custodian to have charge of the armory and the company funds in the event the militia is called upon to leave the state.

B. C. Smith has been selected by Captain F. H. Fowler of M company. Captain J. M. Bradley, B company, said today he had made no selection but would soon.

On War Footing.

In an interview today Adjutant General Holway said that the national guard of the state is being placed on a war footing, so that in case a call comes to go to Mexico, they will be ready.

"A few days ago," said General Holway, "we sent out orders to all of the companies to accept tentative enlistments. There have been a great number of these since that time. The peace strength of the guard companies is sixty-five men. We are taking enlistments up to the war strength of 108 men. Then if the call comes the full strength will be ready. No word has been received from Washington, but we want to be ready if it does come."

Manual Extracts Out.

Extracts from the manual for non-commissioned officers and privates have been printed and sent to all the companies. They contain information on making camp, marching, and loading of wagons.

GENERAL CARRANZA TO JOIN HUERTA

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Wherever and whenever the dignity of the United States is flouted, its international rights or the rights of citizens invaded, or its influence rebuffed where it has the right to attempt to exercise it, that government must deal with those actually in control. It is now dealing with General Huerta within the territory he controls. That he does not rightfully control does not alter the fact that he does control it.

"We are dealing, moreover, only with those whom he commands and those who come to his support. With these we must deal. They do not lawfully represent the people of Mexico. In that fact we rejoice, because our quarrel is not with the Mexican people, and we do not desire to dictate their affairs. But we must enforce our rightful demands upon those whom the existing authorities at the place where we act, do, for the time being represent."

Plan Landings

It is generally believed that as a result of the conference the orders for ship movements on the entire east and west coasts of Mexico—constitutionalist territory as well as federal—will be issued within a very short time. There is no doubt that landings will be necessary at a number of points where foreign interests predominate but no word will be permitted to issue regarding plans.

Meanwhile, Secretary of War Garrison was at his desk conferring with the heads of the general staff of the army. He refused to make public any intimation of what the department was doing or expected to do along the border.

It was known that for a week or more high army officials have been pleading vainly with the administration heads to shut off the heavy stream of arms and ammunition that has been going across the border to the constitutionalists under President Wilson's order raising the embargo.

Order Secret Embargo

It was practically certain today that secret orders had gone out to hold up shipments of arms across the northern border. Officially there is no legal ground for such a situation, but it is believed the customs officials have been secretly tipped to use every expedient to red tape and delay clearance of such shipments.

ELECTION COST $6.39

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—Circuit Judge E. Ray Stevens spent $6.39 in his campaign for re-election as judge of the Ninth Judicial district, according to his expense account filed with the secretary of state. He was unopposed. He spent $5.25 for printing nomination blanks and $1.14 for postage.

POSTPONE GIRL CASE

The case against Jessie Gibbons and Viola Atkinson, charged with immorality, was again adjourned in county court this afternoon. Upon request of attorneys an adjournment of one month was taken by Judge John Brindley.

IT'S MEN LIKE THESE UNCLE SAM'S SOLDIERS MAY HAVE TO SHOOT DOWN



STATE FIGHTING MEN NUMBER OVER THREE THOUSAND—ALL READY

Wisconsin's military strength is the following:

Three regiments infantry	2,762
One separate battalion infantry	265
One cavalry troop	72
One field artillery	84
Hospital corps	51
Naval militia, one battalion	158
Grand total	3,393

Wisconsin's "fighting department" also includes a troop of cavalry at Milwaukee and a battery there.

One battalion of naval militia at Ashland is composed of 158 men.

PREFER WORK TO MEXICAN WAR

Rather than fight in Mexico under Dictator Huerta or the rebel commanders, Villa and Carranza, several thousands of Mexicans are daily coming north to shovel and gravel along the right of way of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy and other railroads. Many are employed near La Crosse.

WIFE WANTS ALIMONY

A motion to show cause as to why Henry Klick should not pay alimony for the support of his divorced wife, will be made in circuit court soon. Mrs. Klick also asks the custody of her two children.

ASKS DIVORCE

After thirty-five years of married life Anna Novicki has filed suit for divorce against her husband, Vincent Novicki, alleging cruel and inhuman treatment and habitual drunkenness.

ASSESSORS MEET

Sixteen assessors of La Crosse county, State Tax Commissioner Thomas E. Lyons, and several county officials interested in taxation are in session in the county court house this afternoon. The purpose of the meeting is for the explanation of amendments in the income tax law and a general discussion of assessment work.

"NO WAR" SAYS REDFIELD

CHICAGO, April 23.—"Technically" the United States is not at war with Mexico, Secretary of Commerce William C. Redfield said today on his arrival here to make a banquet speech. "There is no war," said the cabinet member, "the seizure of the Vera Cruz customs house marines by American marines was only an act of reprisal. If Huerta were even now to accede to the demands of the United States; that would end it."

Whales.

The largest of all mammals are not the elephants, but the whales. A large elephant weighs about six tons, but the largest whale reaches the immense weight of 150 tons and would furnish four carloads of flesh and blubber. About forty different kinds of whales and dolphins are known, and, although they live in the open sea and look like fish, they are not fish at all, but are true mammals, breathing air and feeding their young on milk, like cows and horses.

NEW YORK, April 23.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., controlling stockholder in Colorado Coal & Iron mines, was inaccessible today when the United Press made an effort to gain from him an expression of opinion concerning the bloody war now being waged in the Colorado mining district.

Books.

Books are divisible into two classes—the books of the hour and the books of all time.—Ruskin.

$2.00 Franco-German Ring
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FOR SALE AND GUARANTEED BY
GEO. B. ROSE, The Jeweler
310 MAIN STREET



Gen. Frederick Funston.

FRANZ JOSEF WORSE

VIENNA, April 23.— The greatest anxiety is now felt for Emperor Franz Josef, who has been ill for nearly three weeks. It was semi-officially admitted today that his condition is somewhat worse. The aged emperor passed a restless night. He was weakened by severe coughing.

Comparative Markets

These Quotations Show the General Trend of Prices for the Previous Week

LIVESTOCK YESTERDAY

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., April 22.—Hogs—Receipts 20,000; market slow; 5 to 10c lower; mixed and butchers $8.30 to $8.60; good heavy $8.20 to $8.57; rough heavy $8.1 to $8.20; light $8.25 to $8.55; pi $7.00 to $8.25.

Cattle — Receipts 15,000; mar steady to lower; beeves $7.05 $9.40; cows and heifers $3.70 $8.50; stockers and feeders $5. $8.15; Texans $7.10 to $8.20; $6.00 to $8.50.

Sheep — Receipts 23,000; slow; 10c lower; native $ $6.75; western $5.35 to $6.80 $6.20 to $8.15; western $ $8.40.

LIVESTOCK A WEEK

UNION STOCK YARDS, 15.—Hogs—Receipts 18,0 slow; steady; mixed a $8.60 to $8.90; good he $8.85; rough heavy $8. light $8.65 to $8.90; p $8.60.

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Sheep — Receipts steady; native $5.5 ern $5.60 to $7.10 $8.25; western $6

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These Are The Boys Who Have Occupied Vera Cruz and Tampico



U. S. marines.

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"HUSSA" stands for all that is perfect in good beer, and

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SPOTLIGHTS

"DAMAGED GOODS"

"Damaged Goods," Eugene Brieux's great sociological drama which Richard Bennett and his original New York company of co-workers will present in the La Crosse Theater for one night, Monday, April 27th, has the distinction of being the only theatrical entertainment ever presented in the National capital on the Sabbath day. This event took place last April, when under the auspices of the Society for Social Hygiene of the District of Columbia, Richard Bennett brought his company to Washington from New York City in order that members of congress and other officials in national life might see the play and pass judgment upon its fitness for presentation before the general public.

More than four thousand applications for seats were received for this single performance, whereas the capacity of the theater was limited to seventeen hundred.

If one excepts the marvelous Passion Play, presented at Oberammergau every ten years, this Washington performance of "Damaged Goods" was the most impressive production, from a religious standpoint, ever made. The Rev. Dr. Donald C. MacLeod opened the performance by reading the preface of the play from the stage and he was followed by the Rev. Dr. Earle Wilfley, who delivered an impassioned prayer asking for a divine blessing.

In the audience were the most distinguished senators and representatives in Congress and their wives, many diplomats of renown and more than fifty leading clergymen of all denominations. President Wilson's cabinet was represented by Postmaster-General Burleson and Secretary of Labor Wilson and his daughter.

How American Women May Keep Faces Young

"The American smart woman ages early, far earlier than the English woman," says Christian Miller, F. C. I., the famous English health expert. She adds that our climate "so exhilarates that you over exert yourselves and grow old before you know it. That same exhilarating air dries the skin. The skin that lacks moisture grows pale and withered looking and soon forms wrinkles.

"The American complexion" is best treated by applying pure mercolized wax, which caused the faded, lifeless cuticle to flake off in minute particles, a little each day, until the fresh, young skin beneath is wholly in evidence. Every druggist has this wax; one ounce is sufficient. Spread on at night like cold cream, washing it off next morning.

For wrinkles, dissolve an ounce of powdered saxolite in a half pint witch hazel; bathe the face in this. Immediately every wrinkle is affected, even the deeper lines. Both treatments are remarkable facical rejuvenators.

PEDESTRIAN STOPS TO SELL TRIBUNE

"Scotty' the 'Frisco newsboy, who has undertaken to walk from San Francisco to New York in 230 days, stopped over in La Crosse long enough to sell The Tribune on the streets here yesterday. Scotty, whose real name is Finklestein, maintains he is a son of the bonny highlands. He has now been on the trip 78 days but still has to visit several Canadian cities on the trip. Incidentally Scotty is carrying letters from the mayor of San Francisco to various cities in both the United States and Canada, boosting the 1915 exposition.

Medicine and Mortgages.

Certainly no patient could receive a dose of medicine like that prescribed to Brown and have the patience to take it. Yet Brown's doctor was a land speculator. When not making out prescriptions he was making out mortgages. It was when in a dual state of mind that he gave Brown the following instructions along with the prescription:

"One half down and the balance every six months for four years."—New York Tribune.

Tempering the Wind.

Fallon (who has bought a small farm)—Tell me the truth, Mr. Carney, is the soil rich or poor? Expert Gardener—Well, sor, I should say it wor wanst rich, but it's now in raydooced circumstances.—Puck.

While the longest day is supposed to come in June, we will contend it is Saturday in a barber shop.

CO-EDS WOULD NURSE

URBANA-CHAMPAIGN, Ill., April 23.—Co-eds of the University of Illinois, in a mass meeting here today adopted a resolution declaring their willingness to aid the government in a Mexican war by enlisting as nurses or raising subscriptions. Forty male students declared themselves ready to enlist on a moment's notice.

How to Save Your Eyes

Try this Free Prescription

Do your eyes give you trouble? Do you already wear eyeglasses or spectacles? Thousands of people wear these 'windows" who might easily dispense with them. You may be one of these, and it is your duty to save your eyes before it is too late. The eyes are neglected more than any other organ of the entire body. After you finish your day's work you sit down and rest your muscles, but how about your eyes? Do you rest them? You know you do not. You read or do something else that keeps your eyes busy; you work your eyes until you go to bed. That is why so many have strained eyes and finally other eye troubles that threaten partial or total blindness. Eyeglasses are merely crutches; they never cure. This free prescription, which has benefited the eyes of so many, may work equal wonders for you. Use it a short time. Would you like your eye troubles to disappear as if by magic? Try this prescription. Go to the nearest wideawake drug store and get a bottle of Optona tablets; fill a two-ounce bottle with warm water, drop in one tablet and allow it to thoroughly dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. Just note how quickly your eyes clear up and how soon the inflammation will disappear. Don't be afraid to use it; it is absolutely harmless. Many who are now blind might have saved their eyes had they started to care for them in time. This is a simple treatment, but marvelously effective in multitudes of cases. Now that you have been warned don't delay a day, but do what you can to save your eyes and you are likely to thank us as long as you live for publishing this prescription.

ENGLISH CAPITAL SAVES U. S. ROADS

Supply $15,000,000 to Lift Receivership and Extend the K. C. M. & O.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 23.—The long expected reorganization of the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient railroad probably will be effected within the next few days. It is predicted that the receivers who have conducted the road for more than two years will be discharged and the road built from Wichita, its present terminus, to Kansas City.

Lord Monson, chairman of the English organization committee, and P. D. Tuckett, president of the Electric Light system of London, and also interested in the re-financing plans, will arrive in Kansas City today. Their purpose presumably is to appear before Judge Pollock of the Federal court to assure him that the fifteen million dollars necessary to lift the receivership have been subscribed by the English financiers who have interested themselves.

TRAMP IS SHOT BY ELROY KIDS

Barney Mack, a knight of the road, arrived here today from Elroy, Wis., with a bullet hole in his left leg and a pitiful tale of want.

Mack says he was sitting near a railroad track at Elroy yesterday when he suddenly felt a sharp pain in the calf of his leg. Investigating he found blood flowing from a bullet wound and a bunch of children carrying twenty-two caliber rifles scampering off in the distance.

A doctor later dressed the wound and extracted the bullet. Then the good citizens of Elroy purchased a ticket for Mack and forwarded him to Poor Commissioner Sol Burdick for further care. Burdick is still undecided as to where he will consign the human cargo.

Bayonet Fencers.

Fencing with bayonets is the most popular as well as the most dangerous game among soldiers in the regular army. Those who participate must be strong and skillful, and the game is not one for weaklings. The regulation outfit is a mask, heavily padded coat and padded gloves. The bayonets are tipped with rubber, but despite these precautions men are often hurt in the set-to. Each regiment has its champions, selected by a process of elimination from the various companies. When these champions meet on one of the field days often held at brigade posts the rivalry is intense.—Popular Mechanics.

Willie's Comeback.

The teacher was telling the children a long, highly embellished story about Santa Claus and Willie Jones began giggling with mirth, which finally got beyond his control.

"Willie! What did I whip you for yesterday?" asked the teacher severely.

"Fer lyin'!" promptly answered Willie.—Everybody's.

A "MOTOR CYCLE MIKE" IS MILLER

Company M Corporal May Become Only Motorcycle Expert in Wisconsin Regiments

APPEALS TO WAR DEPARTMENT

Captain Fowler Asks General Holway to Secure Special Permit for La Crosse Man

Should Adjutant General Orlando Holway accede to the request of Captain F. H. Fowler, La Crosse, Company M will have the only "Motorcycle Mike" of the Wisconsin National guard.

Corporal Albert Miller, Company M, is the owner of a powerful four cylinder motorcycle. He is an expert rider, has traveled the prairies of the west with it and has sought permission to take it to Mexico.

Captain Fowler has written to General Holway at Madison requesting that, if the regulations permit, Miller be allowed to take his machine. In the event the regulations are against this General Holway has been asked to request of the war department special permission.

Captain Fowler points out that the machine would be of immense value to the regiment. It has been demonstrated at Camp Douglas, during the regimental encampments, that they far surpass the horse for messenger service.

Miller's machine, complete with clutch, brakes and electric lighting device, is equipped with a rear carrier in which it would be possible for him to carry his tent and blanket rolls and all necessary paraphernalia. In the event he is permitted to use the cycle he will undoubtedly be equipped with side arms, instead of the rifle and these would be carried in holsters fitted on the frame of the machine.

MEXICAN "STUDES" READY TO FIGHT

MADISON, Wis., April 23—"If we go, we'll fight; if we stay here we'll finish our education."

In these few characteristic words F. de la Fuenta, a Mexican student at the University of Wisconsin, summed up the philosophical attitude of the half dozen natives of Mexico who are attending classes at the state institution of learning.

The men are prepared to leave for Mexico to help defend their country at a moment's notice, however.

The Dignified Course.

An army examiner once had a candidate before him who apparently was unable to answer the simplest question. At last the examiner lost his temper and, with sarcastic emphasis lost on the youth before him, said:

"Suppose, sir, that you were a captain in command of a company of infantry; that in your rear was an impassable abyss; that on either side of you towered perpendicular rocks of untraversable height; that before you stood the enemy, a hundred men to each one of yours. What, sir, would you do in this emergency?"

"Sir," said the aspirant to military honors, "I should resign."—Pearson's Weekly.

Champ says it doesn't require much sense to be a president. The Baltimore convention, then, went to a lot of unnecessary trouble in making a choice.

TAKE SALTS TO FLUSH KIDNEYS

Eat less meat if you feel Bachachy or Have Bladder Trouble

Meat forms uric acid which excites and overworks the kidneys in their efforts to filter it from the system. Regular eaters of meat must flush the kidneys occasionally. You must relieve them like you relieve your bowels; removing all the acids, waste and poison, else you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sours, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment; the channels often get irritated, obliging you to get up two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids and flush off the body's urinous waste get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine and bladder disorders disappear. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys and stop bladder irritation. Jad Salts is inexpensive; harmless and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then, thus avoiding serious kidney and bladder diseases. Agent, Chas. A. Bauschlag Druggist, 503 Main street.

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BEST AFTER ALL

OWEN CRITICIZES M'GOVERN'S STAND

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—"The people of the state will not be interested in the governor's disquisition on peanut politics," said Attorney General Walter C. Owen today, when asked for a statement regarding the governor's denial of a special session of the legislature for the purpose of reducing taxes next year. "They are interested in more important things—matters of more intimate concern to them, in the consideration of which they will not be frustrated by spiteful flings concerning factional politics further than to pause in amazement at the undignified spectacle presented.

"The absolute futility and impossibility of calm, judicial conference with him is perfectly manifest from the intemperate and undignified language of his so-called reply."

LA CROSSE GIVEN TEACHERS' MEET

La Crosse has been awarded the nexa convention of the Wisconsin Music Teachers' association at the closing session in Milwaukee yesterday. Liborius Semmann, dean of the Marquette Conservatory of Music, was elected president.

STUDENTS ENDORSE WILSON

The Eclectic Debating society of the normal discussed the Mexican situation at its meeting last night and the vote taken showed that the society was unanimously in favor of the action taken by the national government in regard to this affair. Many predictions were made in regard to the outcome of the war and it was generally believed that the struggle would be comparatively short.

Ab Adkins says the price of feed has gone so high that keeping a cow has become the height of affluence.

How You Can Remove Unsightly Hair or Fuzz

(Boudoir Secrets)

By having a small package of delatone handy, you can quickly banish ugly, unsightly hairs wherever they may appear. Just enough paste to cover the hairy surface is made with some of the powdered delatone and water. This is applied for about 2 minutes, then removed and the skin washed. This simple method not only banishes every trace of hair or fuzz, but leaves the skin firm, smooth and free from blemish.

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PERILS OF PAULINE

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SALEM RESIDENT DIES AT BANGOR

John Rummel Succumbs to Attack of Bright's Disease on Sunday

WEST SALEM, Wis., April 23.—John Rummel, formerly of this city, died Sunday at his home in Bangor, Wis. Death was caused by Bright's disease. His bereaved parents have the sympathy of the community.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Miller of La Crosse, on Tuesday, a seven pound girl. Mrs. Miller will be better known as Miss Grace Tower.

Saturday afternoon about twenty-five ladies surprised Mrs. C. Fales at her home just west of town. The time was spent in various ways and at 6 o'clock a picnic supper was served. Mrs. Fales expects to leave for Pingree, N. D., soon, where she will spend the summer months with her husband on his farm.

Mrs. H. Curtis, who has been spending some time in North Dakota, is here visiting with relatives and friends.

A picnic supper was served at 6 o'clock Monday evening at the home of the Misses Mary and Elizabeth McEldowney in honor of Mrs. Anna Francis of St. Paul and Miss Virginia Samuels' birthday. All enjoyed a pleasant time. Miss Samuels received a number of pretty gifts.

Mrs. F. Jones entertained a few friends to tea Monday evening.

The Ladies' Study club meets at the home of Mrs. F. Jones on Monday, April 27, at 2:30. Lesson, "Development of Spartan Life and of Spartan Leadership in thePeloponnesus." Leader, Mrs. Sherman Dudley.

Mr. Harry Fischer, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, is able to be about again.

Rev. S. L. McKee spent Monday in La Crosse.

Mrs. Frank Coburn and daughter attended the Minneapolis Symphony orchestra at the La Crosse normal school Monday evening.

Mrs. Colesha Smith, who has been spending some time at Onalaska with her daughter, Mrs. H. Cronk, came up Monday to spend a few days with relatives here.

Mrs. Elmer Waite of Bangor spent Tuesday here with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Pfaff is spending a few days at Onalaska, a guest at the home of Mrs. A. Storandt.

Mrs. S. L. McKee returned from her western trip the last of the week.

A surprise party was given Cecil Upham Monday evening at his home in honor of his birthday. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served, after which the young people departed for their homes wishing Cecil many happy returns.

The Remedy for Hard Water Is

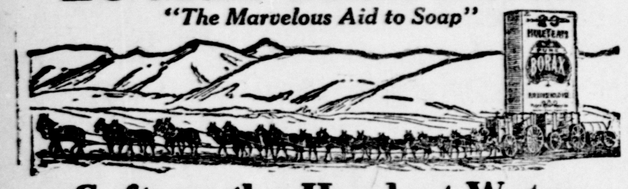
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LA CROSSE TAKES TO PARCEL PPST

The volume of parcel post business done in La Crosse has increased more than 750 per cent during the last year, according to figures submitted today by Postmaster William Tscharner after a fifteen day test.

During the period from April 1 to 15 a count on all parcel post packages passing through the local office was kept in accordance with instructions received from the postal department at Washington. The count showed that 58,977 packages were handled here. During the same period last year the total amounted to but 7,800. The average for the thirteen working days this year was 4,523 packages per day.

WILL FRAME NEW STATE FIRE CODE

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—Fox River Valley architects, builders, fire chiefs and others will have an opportunity tomorrow to offer suggestions for the new state building code. The industrial commission will hold a public hearing on Thursday at 2 o'clock at the Oshkosh city hall, at which the code will be fully discussed. This is the only hearing that will be held in the Fox River Valley and all residents of neighboring cities who are interested in the proposed code are expected to attend.

DIVERSE OPINION ON MOVE OF U. S.

London Papers Vary in Commenting on Action of Wilson in Mexican Situation

GLOBE HINTS AT ANNEXATION

Asserts President Undertakes to Tell Who Shall Rule Mexico; Villa for President

LONDON, April 23.—Considerable space was devoted to the Mexican situation by the British newspapers Tuesday.

"One of those great waves of national feeling which from time to time sweep away political dissensions among Americans," the Daily Telegraph says, "has gone throughout the United States. There is no nation in the world more punctilious over the honor of its flag and it is merely just for Americans to say that if an insult had come from a more formidable aggressor the manifestation of the public resolve to have reparation would only have been stronger and more violent. There is, of course, no question as yet of war in the strict meaning of the term."

Hints at a Protectorate

"In the declaration that the military operations of the United States are being taken not against the people of Mexico but against General Huerta," the Globe says, "we have the root weakness of President Wilson's policy. He undertakes to say who does and who does not represent the Mexican people. That is a pretension to which there is no other issue than annexation or a protectorate, as valid as that now exercised over Cuba."

Wilson Made Mistake

The Manchester Guardian, organ of the English peace party, says:

"War, should it come, would be purely ridiculous if the stakes were not human lives and national reputations. If both sides are itching to be at each other's throat, it would be discreditable to them both to have no better occasion for beginning.

"The originating cause of the dispute is undoubtedly the extension of the Monroe doctrine, which from being a mere notice board to Europe against political trespassing in the new world, has become a sort of gazetting of the United States as the political school mistress of Central and South America.

"President Wilson was wrong in refusing to recognize Gen. Huerta. The resulting intervention will put Pancho Villa in the position Huerta now occupies. This is not an attractive prospect, for Villa possesses in a higher degree every fault that President Wilson has found with Huerta."

Result Was Inevitable

The Liverpool Post was: "President Wilson's message was the inevitable culmination of American policy in refusing to recognize Gen. Huerta. The responsibility of the United States cannot cease with a mere conquest under arms and the upholding of American dignity, nor can it be confined to the immediate protection of international commercial interests.

"The further responsibility will devolve upon the United States of taking such steps as may be considered necessary for the permanent protection of those interests. That can only be done by establishing such a form and personnel of government as will insure the greatest degree of orderly life. The civilization of Mexico would have a beneficent influence throughout the world."

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ARREST JIM HILL FOR STEALING RIDE

Jim Hill of St. Paul was arrested here today for overlooking the formality of purchasing a railroad ticket before taking a ride on the Burlington railroad. The hobo namiesake of the railroad magnate arrived in La Crosse yesterday morning. After pleading guilty to vagrancy he was sentenced to thirty days in the county jail by Judge John Brindley. Along with Hill, Christ Christianson, another "Weary Willie," was handed the same punishment.

The gossips sometimes disprove the theory that the truth doesn't hurt anyone.



Armour's "STAR"

"The Ham What Am" and Bacon too



Can you think of anything better for breakfast? The juicy, sweet, "mild sugar" cure flavor, with the tang of smouldering hickory logs given in the smoking, wakes up the most jaded and satisfies the healthiest appetite.

SMUT PREVENTED BY TREATING GRAIN

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—Smut diseases, which annually cause enormous losses to the grain growers of Wisconsin, can be controlled by treating the seed grain with formaldehyde solution.

According to B. D. Leith, college of agriculture, University of Wisconsin, oat smut and barley stripe can be prevented by soaking the seed in an ordinary cold water solution of the drug. Barley smut and loose smut of wheat, however, are harder to kill, and perhaps can best be controlled by a hot water treatment.

One of the methods of treating seed grain used at the Wisconsin experiment station follows:

The grain is spread upon a tight floor or canvas and is sprinkled until thoroughly moistened with a solution of one pint of 40 per cent formaldehyde to 40 gallons of water. The seed is thoroughly covered over to distribute the solution and is then piled and covered with sacks or canvas so that the formaldehyde gas will not evaporate before its good work is done. The grain may be sown at once or upon the following day but if it is to be kept longer it should be aired as soon as possible by spreading it out thinly upon the floor and then occasionally stirring it with a rake.

Another plan is to have the solution in a barrel or tank and then dip gunny sacks filled with the grain into the solution. The seed is then placed in a pile and handled in the manner already described.

BUMP CO. INCREASES CAPITAL TO $25,000

Amendments to the articles of incorporation of the Bump Perfected Paper Fastener company were filed with Andrew Thompson, register of deeds, today, whereby the name of the company is changed to the Bump Paper Fastener Co., and the capital stock is increased from $10,000 to $25,000.

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By George McManus



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Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

AVIATOR OFFERS TO FIGHT

MINNEAPOLIS, April 23.—Aviator Heine, a Canadian who has made notable flights with passengers here today volunteered the use of his aeroplane and services to Secretary Garrison to clean Mexican gunners out of the mountain passes and Mexico City. Heine declared that, flying at a height of 5,000 feet he would safe from the Mexican bullets and could drop bombs which would annihilate the Mexicans. He says that he will guarantee that small bands of Mexicans will not hold the mountain passes if he is allowed to sail over them and drop bombs.

BRICK FINE ARGUMENT

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 23.—Jose De Ormando, Mexican laborer, awoke in the Emergency hospital at noon today to explain that an early morning extra had been the indirect cause of his going to bed. Jose quarreled with his brother over the stand of the rebels as announced in the extra. A well aimed brick landing squarely on Jose's chin was the brother's best argument.

Tailors declare the hip pocket in men's trousers is going out of style It is—with the assistance of Illinois women.

FREED OF CHARGE

Ed Hintgen was merely attempting to defend himself from the attack of Lizzie Kaiser when she wasc struck by a rake in the mixup, according to the decision reached this morning by Judge John Brindley. Mrs. Kaiser had Hintgen arrested for striking her over the head with the rake but the testimony showed he was but warding off a blow and that the rake was in the hands of the woman. The judge declared that if Hintgen was in the wrong his attorney would doubtlessly deal out sufficient punishment.

WANTS VESSELS QUICK

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels today wired the Brooklyn navy yard to ascertain the earliest date on which the battleships New York and Texas, now undergoing repairs, can be placed in commission.

"Now, why are you crying?"

"My husband is so evasive," yelped the bride. "Every time I ask him how he likes my biscuits he tells me that I have beautiful eyes."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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BOY THOUGHT DEAF NOW IN THE ARMY

Thomas Lorin, Brother of La Crosse Woman Who Ran Away to the War Writes to His Sister

LETTER TO HIM CIRCLED GLOBE

Was Addressed at Havana Two Years Ago and His Answer Was Dated in Islands at Christmas

Running away at the age of 18 to enlist in the Spanish American war and presumed to have been dead, Thomas Lorin, Purdy, Wis., today surprised his sister, Mrs. L. N. Johnston, 1628 Adams street, with a letter—the first in fifteen years.

The letter, which was in answer to the last attempt of his sister to communicate with him two years ago, says that he is alive and well, is in the Philippine service and is at present under quarantine at Pizol with other American troops.

When the battleship Maine was blown up in Havana harbor fifteen years ago, Lorin was one of the many young men, surcharged with patriotism, who wanted to go to war. His parents objected and one night the boy stole away. His relatives learned later that he had joined the army.

Get No Word

When days, weeks and months failed to bring word from him the war department was communicated with. No information was elicited from that source. Two years ago his sister, Mrs. Johnston, hazarded a guess as to the company he was in and addressed a letter to Havana. It was soon after this that a Wisconsin boy, returning from the Philippines, said Lorin was dead.

Today came the letter from Lorin. He is in the branch of the army assigned to the Philippines, is in good health and, it is intimated in his letter, has taken unto himself a bride.

Letter Written Christmas

The letter received by the LaCrosse woman was dated Christmas week and was in answer to the letter she had mailed to Havana two years ago.

"Your letter to me must have circled the globe any number of times" wrote her brother.

His parents in Purdy have been notified.

PLAN MAUSOLEUM FOR WEST SALEM

West Salem is to have a mausoleum similar to that of La Crosse but somewhat smaller. Preliminary steps have already been taken toward that end and articles of incorporation for the purpose of carrying on the work were filed with Register of Deeds Andrew Thompson here. B. B. Mercereau, G. W. Dudley and S. C. Sander are the incorporators. The company will be known as the Hamilton Mausoleum company and will operate without capital stock.

LAND MORE MARINES.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—A dispatch was received at the navy department early today reporting that an additional regiment of marines has been landed at Vera Cruz. This force arrived on the transport Hancock yesterday morning.

The Woodpecker's Tattoo.

Heard a woodpecker tapping the trees in the high woods. How strangely he is constructed! If we chopped our teeth on a stick loud enough to be heard a hundred feet off, at the end of an hour our jaws and gums would be so sore we could not bear it. But the woodpecker seems to suffer no inconvenience.—From "A Farmer's Note book."

What, by the way, has become of Mr. Inez Milholland, the most famous suffraget's husband.

WEATHER

Temperature ranges yesterday:
High, 63.
Low, 42.
Precipitation, 0.

Forecast for La Crosse and vicinity: Unsettled weather tonight and Friday with probably showers; warmer.

For Wisconsin: Mostly cloudy tonight and Friday; possibly showers; slowly rising temperature; fresh breezes.

For Minnesota: Unsettled weather tonight and Friday with probably showers; warmer tonight and southeast portion Friday; fresh breezes.

For Iowa: Unsettled weather tonight and Friday, probably showers; warmer east and central portions; fresh breezes.

Weather Conditions

The Manitoba high has moved eastward into the upper lake region and upper St. Lawrence valley accompanied by fair and somewhat cooler weather. The western depression now covers the Rocky mountain districts and plains states, the temperature has risen throughout the plains states and light local showers have occurred from Manitoba to the west gulf coast.

This low will drift slowly eastward causing unsettled weather in this section tonight and Friday with local showers and somewhat higher temperature.

River

	Stage.	Change.
St. Paul	2.2	0.0
Red Wing	4.2	-|-0.4
La Crosse	4.0	-|-0.1

WRITE STORIES FOR MOVING PICTURE PLAYS

New, Spare-time Profession for Men and Women—One Man Makes $3,500 in Six Months

Owing to the large number of new motion picture theaters which are being opened throughout the country, there is offered to the men and women of today, a new profession, namely, that of writing moving picture plays. Producers are paying from $25 to $150 for each scenario accepted, upon which they can build a photo play.

$3,500 in Six Months

As it only requires a few hours' time to construct a complete play, you can readily see the immense possibilities in this work. One man, who gave the idea a tryout, writes that he earned $3,500 in six months. It is possible for an intelligent person to meet with equal success.

One feature of the business which should appeal to everyone, is that the work may be done at home in spare time. No literary ability is required and women have as great an opportunity as men. Ideas for plots are constantly turning up, and may be put in scenario form and sold for a good price.

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THE CASINO

Today Tomorrow and Saturday



Richard Bennett in a Scene from "D amaged Goods' at La Crosse Theater Monday April 27

FIFTH BRIGADE SHORT

GALVESTON, Texas, April 23.—That the Fifth brigade, the flower of the United States army and the first which will be sent to Mexico in case of hostilities, is approximately 600 enlisted men short of authorized strength, was the statement made by Col. Daniel Cornman, who is in command, today. Efforts to recruit the brigade to standing are being made and recruits are being received daily.

One reform the victorious rebels might make would be to knock a couple of huas off from Chihuahua.

CALIFORNIA SENDS TROOPS TO BORDER

State Militiamen Go to the Line to Protect Water Supply of San Diego from Mexicans

SEVEN COMPANIES TAKE FIELDS

Two Batteries of State Coast Artillery, Naval Reserves and Four Infantry Companies Go

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 23.—Two companies of state coast artillery and a company of naval reserves were ordered out at 5 a. m. today to guard the San Diego water system along the Mexican border.

Governor Johnson ordered the militiamen out following the receipt of dozens of telegrams stating that the water system was in danger of attack by Mexicans.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 23.—Four companies of the Seventh regiment, California National guard, are being mobilized at their armory here following the receipt of orders from Adjutant General Forbes. Col. Schreiber, commanding the regiment, was ordered to arrange for a special train to move the troops to the Mexican border "with the greatest celerity."

RAIL EMPLOYES CLOSE.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 23.—The biennial convention of the International Railwaymen's department of the American Federation of Labor ended yesterday afternoon here. The body will meet April 13, 1916, in a city the national executive council will select. All of the officers for the last term were re-elected yesterday. They are: A. O. Wharton, St. Louis, president; Geo. W. Pring, Des Moines, vice president, and John Scott, St. Louis, secretary-treasurer.

O'SHAUGHNESSY IS GIVEN PASSPORTS WILL START AT ONCE

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Charge O'Shaughnessy has been handed his passports by Huerta. He will leave Mexico City today or early Friday morning. This is the first official step toward open declaration of war.

Early today a cable was received from the American charge. It said: "Having been given my passports, I am leaving Thursday night or Friday morning."

This was the first word from O'Shaughnessy in over forty-eight hours.

The message from O'Shaughnessy was given out at 3:20 a. m. today. It was believed to have been received about midnight. The president was hauled from bed to hear the message read over the telephone by Secretary Tumulty who passed a sleepless night.

With Charge O'Shaughnessy enroute from Mexico City, this government waited anxiously today for an expected formal declaration of war from Huerta.

Handing O'Shaughnessy his passports formally severed diplomatic relations. Algara, Mexican charge here, was expected to ask for his passports before noon. They will be promptly turned over.

No longer is there any doubt that there is to be a general conflict with a united Mexico lined up solidly against the might of the United States. Carranza has spoken and his declaration is interpreted by President Wilson and his advisers as a threat.

There will be no more disposition shown to temporize with Carranza than there has been to condone Huerta's efforts.

Officials here believe that Huerta has a formal declaration of war ready, but so far they have not received notification of its issuance. Because of the fragmentary state of communication with the Mexican capital, they do not know whether the dictator has taken the matter up with the Mexican congress. His attitude, however, is clearly set forth in his statement of late last night, in which he said war was on and promised to have an army of 400,000 men in the field in twenty days.

ELY'S CREAM BALM OPENS CLOGGED NOSTRILS AND HEAD---CATARRH GOES

Instantly Clears Air Passages; You Breathe Freely, Nasty Discharge Stops, Head Colds and Dull Headache Vanish.

Get a small bottle anyway, just to try it—Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stopped-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe freely; dullness and headache disappear. By morning! the catarrh, cold-in-head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone.

End such misery now! Get the small bottle of "Ely's Cream Balm" at any drug store. This sweet, fragrant balm dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake tonight struggling for breath, with head stuffed; nostrils closed, hawking and blowing. Catarrh or a cold, with its running nose, foul mucous dropping into the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless.

Put your faith—just once—in "Ely's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear.

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WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

BY HAL SHERIDAN

Clark Griffith's crowd climbed to second place because the Highlanders pulled a series of misplays, giving Warhop miserable backing.

The Cobb-Crawford combined fleets worked effectively again, shelling Branch Rickey's college craft for three runs and the game in the third.

Comiskey's White Sox look like champions of the world—for the month of April, 1914.

In four Federal games yesterday, number of hits totalled 84.

While prelims for the Cub season opening were under way, Charley Murphy, late magnate, picked the Cubs as pennant winners. Charley Herzog's Reds then licked 'em, 4 to 3.

B. B. COMMISSION MEETS IN SECRET

CHICAGO, April 23.—The national baseball commission reconvened in its second session late yesterday afternoon, but information concerning what was done at the forenoon session was flatly refused. Chairman Garry Herrmann, President Ban S. Johnson of the American league, and Secretary John Heydler of the National league, representing Governor John Tener, "sat in" at the meeting.

The rule should be that no man should wed a spring chicken young enough to be known as his child wife.



8126 8058

COTTON RAILINE AND COTTON VELVET FAVORED FABRICS FOR THE TOP COAT.

Although tweed and like wool fabrics are used a great deal for the separate coat, several of the new heavy cottons are also favored; railine, golfine and cotton velvet are among these. These cotton fabrics come in all the new shades and are especially effective in the brighter yellows and scarlets. The coat shown in No. 8126 is developed in yellow cotton railine; the back extends over the shoulders to form a shaped yoke; there is an inset cuff and a turn-over collar which may be worn standing. To make this coat in size 36, requires 3⅜ yards of 42 inch material. All of these cottons average 42 inches in width and range in price from $2.50 a yard and up.

The street dress illustrated in No. 8058, displays unusually trim lines and may be made up effectively in either one of the popular checks or stripes. Here it is developed in plaid, showing two shades of gray; collar, cuffs and the lower part of the vest are of black satin, and the upper part of the vest is of fine white voile with a line of tiny glass buttons extending down the front. This fine voile is much used for vests and collars at the moment and is dainty and becoming.

Five and one-quarter yards of 42 inch material is needed to make up this design in size 36.

When a girl is a prude she is generally looking for something to shock her.

Standing Of Clubs

	W.	L.	Pct.
National League			
Pittsburg	6	1	.857
Philadelphia	4	1	.800
Brooklyn	3	1	.750
St. Louis	3	4	.427
Cincinnati	2	4	.333
Chicago	2	4	.333
New York	1	3	.250
Boston	1	4	.200
American League			
Chicago	7	1	.875
Detroit	5	2	.714
Washington	4	2	.667
New York	3	2	.600
St. Louis	3	4	.429
Philadelphia	2	3	.400
Boston	2	4	.333
Cleveland	0	8	.000
Federal League			
St. Louis	6	1	.857
Buffalo	3	1	.750
Baltimore	3	2	.600
Brooklyn	2	2	.500
Indianapolis	3	4	.429
Kansas City	3	4	.429
Chicago	2	5	.286
Pittsburg	0	3	.000
American Association			
Indianapolis	6	1	.857
Milwaukee	5	1	.833
Louisville	4	3	.571
Kansas City	4	4	.500
St. Paul	4	5	.444
Cleveland	3	5	.375
Minneapolis	2	4	.333
Columbus	1	5	.167

GAMES YESTERDAY

National League

Philadelphia, 3; Boston, 1.
Cincinnati, 4; Chicago, 3.
New York-Brooklyn, wet grounds.

American League

Washington, 2; New York, 1.
Chicago, 7; Cleveland, 0.
Detroit, 4; St. Louis, 2.
Boston, 9; Philadelphia, 9 (called by agreement at end of eighth inning).

Federal League

Buffalo, 9; Pittsburg, 6.
Baltimore, 9; Brooklyn, 8.
St. Louis, 5; Chicago, 4.
Kansas City, 4; Indianapolis, 3.

American Association

No games scheduled.

GAMES TODAY

National League

St. Louis at Pittsburg.
Cincinnati at Chicago.
Philadelphia at New York.
Brooklyn at Boston.

American League

Chicago at Cleveland.
Detroit at St. Louis.
Boston at Washington.
New York at Philadelphia.

Federal League

St. Louis at Indianapolis.
Brooklyn at Pittsburg.
Buffalo at Baltimore.

American Association

Milwaukee at St. Paul.
Kansas City at Minneapolis.
Cleveland at Columbus.
Louisville at Indianapolis.

M'MAHON TO COAST

NEWCASTLE, Pa., April 23.—Tom McMahon, white hope destroyer, left here today for Los Angeles, where he will fight Kid Kenneth May 8. Plans made by Promoter McCarey to bring George Chip and Patsy Brannigan to the coast for a series of fights have fallen through.

GERMANS BEAT LATINS

The team representing the girls of the normal German department defeated the girls of the Latin department in a game of basketball last night by the close score of 7 to 4. The game was the most interesting girls' game of the season.

NORMAL BALL GAME TODAY

The normal school and high school baseball teams will meet in the first real game of baseball in this city this season this afternoon. Saubert and Holthaus will in all probability be the normal battery, while King and Weeks serve them up for the highs.

SPORTS

CHANCE'S YANKEES LOSE TO SENATORS

Pitchers' Battle Goes to Washington Club; Boston and Quakers Play Tie Game

CUBS LOSE IN UPHILL GAME

Make Strong Effort to Come Back Near End of Game but Lose to Reds by 3 to 4 Score

CHICAGO, April 23.—The Cubs were defeated in a rather poor opening, 4 to 3, yesterday. Pierce held the Reds to three hits, two of which in the fourth counted three runs. The score:

	R	H	E
Cincinnati ...000300100—	4	3	2
Chicago ....000100011—	3	5	1

Batteries: Ames, Benton and Clarke; Pierce, Koestner and Archer.

Philadelphia 3, Boston 1

Score:	R	H	E
Boston .....001000000—	1	5	1
Philadelphia .00001200x—	3	6	0

Batteries: Rudolph and Gowdy; Alexander and Killifer.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Washington 2, New York 1

NEW YORK, April 23.—The Senators took the rubber game from the Yanks yesterday 2 to 1, Ayres and Engle combined to beat the veteran Warhop. Score:

	R	H	E
Washington ..010010000—	2	5	1
New York ...000000100—	1	8	4

Batteries: Engel, Ayres and Henry; Warhop and Sweeney.

Boston 9, Philadelphia 9

BOSTON, April 23.—Another tie game wound up the Red Sox-Athletic series yesterday afternoon, the score being 9 to 9. At the end of the eighth inning the game was called to allow the two teams to catch their trains. The Red Sox appeared to have a commanding lead in the fourth inning, but the champions tied the score. In the seventh Philadelphia made four more runs, but Boston did the same in the eighth. The score:

	R	H	E
Philadelphia ...10004040—	9	11	5
Boston .....00140004—	9	9	2

Batteries: Wyckoff, Houck, Plank and Schang; Bedient, Coombs, Foster, Kelly and Cady. (Called by agreement.)

Detroit 4, St. Louis 2

ST. LOUIS, April 23.—The work of Cobb and Crawford featured the opening American league game here yesterday. Detroit winning 4 to 2. Score:

	R	H	E
Detroit ....003010000—	4	8	4
St. Louis ....200000000—	2	10	2

Batteries: Dauss and Stanage; Hamilton and Crossin.

Chicago 7, Cleveland 0

CLEVELAND, O., April 23. — The Naps dropped their eighth straight game, 7 to 0 to the White Sox yesterday. Score:

	R	H	E
Chicago ....002003200—	7	5	1
Cleveland ..000000000—	0	6	5

Batteries: Russell, Scott and Schalk; Blanding, Collamore, Billings and Carisch.

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Buffalo 9, Pittsburg 6

Score:	R	H	E
Buffalo ....023112000—	9	10	2
Pittsburgh ...000302010—	6	11	5

Batteries: Moran, Ford and Blair; Camnitz, Walker and Berry.

Baltimore 9, Brooklyn 8

Score:	R	H	E
Brooklyn ..015010100—	8	15	3
Baltimore ..00004032x—	9	11	3

Batteries: Seaton and Owen; Smith, Suggs, Wilhelm and Jacklitsch.

St. Louis 5, Chicago 4

Chicago ....002001001—	4	5	1
St. Louis ..10003001x—	5	12	1

Batteries: McGuire and Wilson; Crandall and Hartley.

Kansas City 4, Indianapolis 3

Indianapolis ..100000101—	3	8	2
Kansas City ..030000001—	4	10	1

Batteries: Mullin and Texter; Packard and Easterly.

PLAN CLASS PLAY

The graduating class of the normal school at a meeting on Monday decided to have a class play. It was generally believed that the play to be given by the Buskin Dramatic cub would take the place of the class play, but the class was not in favor of this. It was also decided that this play was not to be Shakespearean, as were the former class plays, but modern.

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BALL SEASON TO OPEN AT SPARTA

First Game to Be Played Tomorrow Between City and High School Teams

SPARTA, Wis., April 23.—The baseball season will open in Sparta tomorrow, when the city team, the "White Sox," and the high school nine are scheduled for a game at 4 o'clock out at the fair grounds. This will be the first game for both teams. High school practice began Monday night and about twenty-five candidates reported for practice. A winning team should be picked from among this number. The city team is to be run on a sounder business basis this year than in previous years. Players are to be held to their jobs by signed contracts, which make them liable to punishment if negligent.

Harry Adams and family of Spokane, Wash., are visiting friends in Sparta. Harry is now a conductor on the new extension of the Milwaukee road, and has his headquarters in Spokane. The Adamses expect to return to the west Saturday.

TREMPEALEAU, WIS.

Mrs. Anna Cosgriff of Bangor was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Sparling Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Nicholls entertained at dinner Wednesday night in honor of Mrs. Ducklow of Wilton. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. and H. L. Sparling and Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Hutchins.

Mrs. Arthur Brink of Elroy is the guest of Miss Brink.

Miss Amanda Zaimerman spent the week with her sister, Mrs. Will Drugan.

Mr. Joe Hannam was a Galesville caller Saturday.

Mrs. George Gibbs, Mrs. Arthur Gibbs and Mrs. Grace Bemis were among the La Crosse shoppers Monday.

Mr. Harley Thomas of Chicago is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas.

Mrs. L. E. Putnam, Mrs. Charles Growt, Mrs. Bert Lane and Mrs. John Towner attended the meeting at the home of Mrs. Oscar Bergquist of Galesville Saturday, given by the ladies of the Norwegian church.

Mr. Everett Smith and Ira Lehman were in Winona on business Saturday.

Mrs. George Moore was a Galesville shopper Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Holmes will move into the residence recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. L. Lamb. Mr. and Mrs. Lamb will move to South Dakota with their son Elroy.

Mrs. Charles Ducklow, who has been visiting at the home ofMr. and Mrs. Will Nicholls and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sparling, returned to her home in Wilton Sunday noon.

Mr. Mullendoir, who has been the guest of Douglas Crockett, returned to his home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Shepherd of Blair spent Saturday and Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Will Bright.

The Ladies' Aid society will hold its annual experience social at the Woodman hall Friday night. A supper will be served and every one is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Chas. Pierson and Mrs. J. Grover were Galesville shoppers Saturday.

Mrs. Stangle returned from La Crosse, where she spent the week with her daughter, Mrs. Ollie Spear.

Mrs. Trim and daughter and Mrs. D. Payne returned to their home in Waupun Thursday.

Mr. W. A. Graves was in Winona Tuesday on business.

Mrs. E. Weldon was a La Crose shopper Tuesday.

Mr. Howard Aldrich of Onalaska was in town on business Saturday.

Mrs. S. E. Hutchins and daughter Ruth and Miss Mae Thomas were La Crosse shoppers Saturday.

Miss Verna Bigelow and Miss Auline Nicholls were in Galesville Saturday at the home of Mrs. Oscar Bergquist.

Mrs. Fred Ford and son are in Madison visiting her sister, Mrs. Wallace Hannaman.

Miss Alma Olstead spent Saturday in Galesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Nicholls entertained at dinner Friday night Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Growt, Rev and Mrs. Wikinson, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Putnam, Mrs. Erwin Atwood, Mrs. Chas. Ducklow of Wilton, Mrs. Stangle and Mrs. Charlotte Nicholls.

Mr. Chas. Drugan, who has recently returned from Texas, visited his parents Friday.

Mrs. C. W. Thomas entertained at dinner Friday night Mr. Albert Hoberton of Greely, Col., Mrs. Morrison of San Diego, Cal., and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Merwin.

Miss Mae Thomas was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Thomas Sunday at dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bell of Winona have moved into the Payne house. Mr. Bell will work for Fred Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander are moving into the Stokes place.

Miss Jennie Bright was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Elkins at supper Sunday night.

Miss Sands of Winona is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Putnam.

Trempealeau high school beat the Onalaska highs 5 to 8 Saturday. Come again, boys. Zeb is some player.

Mrs. I. Case was a Galesville visitor Saturdaq.

Mrs. Glen Drugan is visiting her mother, Mrs. L. S. Hansen.

Nell—"She is one of those women who are positively unhappy unless they are miserable." Belle—"Yes, she is thoroughly convinced that a thorn in the flesh is worth two in the bush."



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MAY PROSECUTE CHEESE COMBINE

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—There is a possibility that the so-called cheese combine in Wisconsin may be prosecuted either by federal or state officials. The facts have been played before Commissioner of Corporations Joseph E. Davies at Washington, whose department is making an investigation of unlawful restraints of trade. It has also been called to the attention of the two United States senators and the congressmen of Wisconsin, the governor and Attorney General Walter C. Owen. The first action in this matter was taken last week at a meeting of the officials of the Wisconsin branch of the American Society of Equity.

LA CROSSE GIRL WINS HER POINTS

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—The members of the Women's Athletic association of the "U" to win their hundred points by perfect work on four pieces of gymnasium apparatus are: Elsie Newman, Madison; Marguerite F. Slawson, Eau Claire; Freda Boss, Superior; Charlotte L. Kurz, Milwaukee, and Helen Ulrich, La Crosse. They are the first to receive points awarded for this honor.

DANCE FOR DEBT

The Normal School Athletic asso ciation will give its annual dance i the normal gymnasium on Friday o this week. The association has large debt to wipe out and the pro ceeds of this ball will be used fo that purpose. This dance is the on big event of its kind during th school year.

But when the millenium starts in business the man behind the muck rake will be out of a job.

When in want of first class work on chimneys, boilers, brick refrigerators, manholes, cisterns, or any kind of brick, tile, cement or concrete work, call on

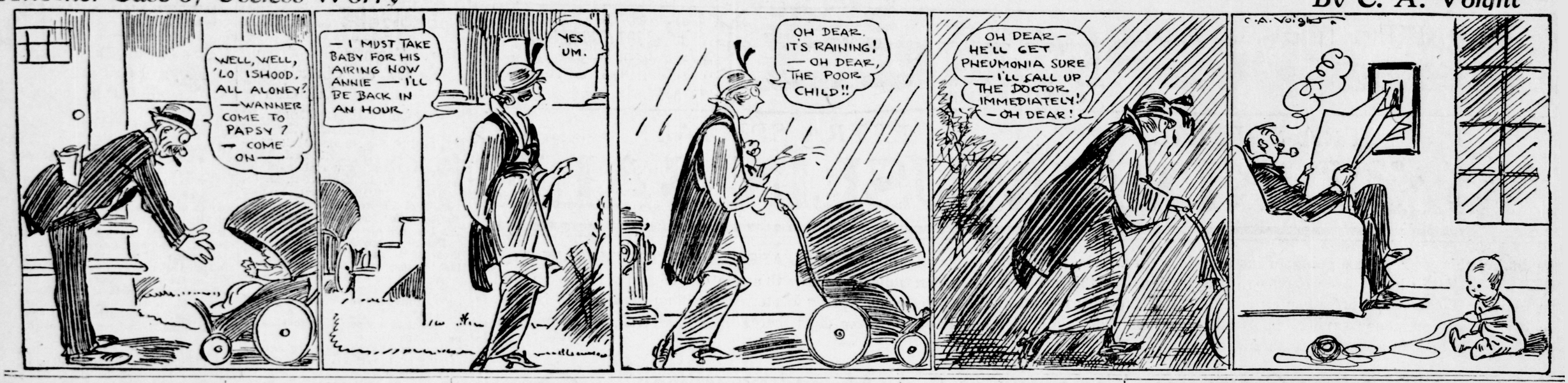
F. James Collins
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935 Division St., La Crosse, Wis.



Richard Bennett in "Damaged Goods" at La Crosse Theater Monday, April 27.

Another Case of Useless Worry

By C. A. Voight



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BOTH PHONES 323

HELP WANTED—MALE

PRESS FEEDERS WANTED—A. A. Liesenfeld Printing Co., 209 Main street. 4 22 tf

WANTED—A good barber at once. Address Martin Swenson, Whitehall, Wis. 4 22 5 2

WANTED—Driver at the Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 North Sixth. 4 22 24

WANTED—Bartender at the Stoddard hotel. 4 22 24

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. Position guaranteed. Write for catalogue. Tri-City Barber College, Davenport, Iowa. thurs fri sat 3mos

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—Girl for general housework. No washing. Apply evenings. 407 South Thirteenth. 4 21 27

WANTED—Two girls at the La Crosse hospital. 4 21 tf

WANTED—Kitchen girls at the Stoddard hotel. 4 21 23

WANTED—Second girl. Call at Mrs. Henry Salzer, 17th and King streets. 4 23 25

WANTED—Girl at once. Nora house. 4 23 25

WANTED—Short order cook, at Hotel Foley, 501 Mill. 4 23 27

WANTED—Nurse girl at 926 Main. 4 23 25

WANTED—Assistant cook and floor maid at Lutheran hospital. 4 17 tf

WANTED—Two dining room girls at Hotel Hanson, Spring Grove, Minn. 4 17 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Good wages. Mrs. Smedal, 1420 Cass. 4 16 tf

WANTED—Girl to wash dishes, at the Wilson house. 4 9 tf

WANTED—Girl at 122 North Seventh. New phone 1395-C. 4 6 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework, preferably one who goes home nights. 1122 Cameron avenue. 4 20 23

WANTED—Girl to do housework at 613 Main. 4 22 24

WANTED—Dining room and kitchen girl at Hotel Doering. 4 22 28

WANTED—Competent cook. Good wages. Mrs. Law, 435 South Fourth. 4 20 tf

WANTED—Girls over 16 to learn making house dresses, aprons, . Those familiar with powtr sewmachines preferred. We pay beers while learning. La Crosse ent Co., 122-124 South Front t, La Crosse, Wis. 4 4 tf

FOR SALE

R SALE—Strawberry plants, Warfields and Dunlaps, 35c per hundred. W. A. Tripp, La Crosse, Wis., R. F. D. No. 3. New phone 2701. 4 18 27

COLUMBIA double disc records, 65c. Weis' Book Store, 533 Main street, opposite St. Joseph's cathedral. 4 10 5 9

FOR SALE—Good stave stove cheap. 912 South Sixteenth. 4 23 25

FOR SALE—Cheap, awning 5x10½ feet, nearly new. Inquire at 308 So. Sixth. 4 23 28

FOR SALE—Automatic refrigerator in good condition. Call at 832 Rose street. 4 23 29

FOR SALE—S. C. Mottled Ancona eggs, 75c per setting of 15 eggs. New line of wall paper at lowest price in town, at 906 Avon street. New phone 1491-M. J. F. Wilbur. 4 23 5 6

FOR SALE—4 h. p. gasoline engine. Inquire 110 Main. 4 23 29

FOR SALE—Blackberry plants, Snider, two and three years old, grown in the open, sure to fruit this season. C. L. Baldwin, new phone 928-C. 4 23 30

FOR SALE—Good team, horse and mare. 2235 Mormon Coulee road. 4 23 29

FOR SALE—Eleven room house, suitable for two families. Cheap if taken at once. Inquire 508 Farnam. 4 16 29

FOR SALE—Black dirt and clay. C. L. Baldwin, Ebner's Coulee. 4 21 27

FOR SALE—Modern house. 1701 Main. 4 18 5 1

FOR SALE—Cheap, small store front. 1424 Mississippi. 4 21 23

FOR SALE—Parlor furniture. 802 Ferry. 4 21 tf

FOR SALE—3 h. p. electric motor. Inquire 915 Logan. 4 1 tf

FOR SALE—Twin Harley-Davidson motorcycle, 1913 model. Absolutely good as new. Equipped. Better investigate this. 1223 Kane. New phone 586-C. 4 21 23

FOR SALE—Shoe repair shop on South side, with finishing machine, electric motor. S. S., Tribune. 4 21 tf

FOR SALE—Cord wood second growth oak, dry. New phone 2811. 4 21 5 4

FOR SALE—Two English pit bull pups, three months old. New phone 796-A. 4 21 26

FOR SALE—Cheap, nearly new piano, easy terms if desired. 610 Mississippi street. 4 20 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, brand new Anderson Computing Scale, and a baritone horn, at A. J. Ness' Jewelry Store, 309 Pearl street. 4 9 tf

160 Acre fertile black loam soil Jackson county, Wis. Two miles from Shamrock. 77 acres broke, can improve 50 acres more. Running water. Price $35 per acre. Will consider trade for house up to $2,500. Must be worth the money. John Ristuben, Cashton, Wis. 4 20 21

FOR SALE—Some household goods consisting of marble top walnut tables and bureau, together with dressers, commodes, beds, steel couch, etc. Gateway City Transfer Co., 214-216 Vine street. 4 20 25

FOR SALE—Eight room modern house and barn with alley. Will sell cheap and on easy terms account leaving city. 1612 King street. 3 12 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, 25 foot launch hull. Inquire 1025 South Second. 4 20 24

FOR SALE—Farm, 52 acres, seven miles from La Crosse. Inquire B. B., care Tribune. 4 18 24

FOR SALE—Horse Hospital, very cheap. For particulars write E. A. Lamore, Jackson, Minn. 4 9 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot, cheap, to settle estate. Address House, Tribune. 4 17 30

FOR SALE—Hotel, including bar, feed barn and bowling alley in village of Bangor. Call at Farmers' State Bank, Bangor, Wis. 4 13 tf

FOR SALE—Stockers and feeders, two loads of Angus, weight 900 pounds; two loads Hereford, around 725 pounds; 50 head of calves. John Carrow, Ottumwa, Iowa. Box 128. 4 13 25

FOR SALE—Property at 512 Oakland street. Inquire of F. Rassmann, Beaver Dam, Wis. 3 30 4 29

FIRST CLASS BOILER, $125. Pulleys. H. N. Lain, 1322 South 5th. 3 11 tf

FOR SALE—Three used autos, from $175 up. A large safe cheap. Dietz Auto Garage. 3 19 tf

FOR SALE—Gas stove; bargain. 1225 Jackson street. 4 22 28

FOR SALE—Parlor suite, rug, Morris chair, baby buggy and child's double bed. Call Saturday, 1105 State. 4 22 24

FOR SALE—5 h. p. marine engine. Inquire 620 South Third. 4 22 25

FOR SALE—Sewing machine in first class condition. Will sell at a bargain if taken at once. 1316 Sill street. New phone 1430-R. 4 22 24

FOR SALE—Driving horse, or will trade for heavier horse. Old phone 2023. 4 23 28

FOR SALE—Corner lot, two houses and barn. 802 South Eighth. 4 22 tf

FOR SALE—Five burner gas range, almost new. 1003 Cameron Ave. New phone 1272 Black. 4 22 24

FIRST $125.00 CASH buys Ford automobile; 2 cylinder opposed motor recently overhauled; good tires; needs cleaning and slight repairs, but will give good service; equipment includes runabout, 4-passenger tonneau and attachable truck delivery frame, wind shield, lamps, etc. W. V. Kidder, 114 North Fifth, La Crosse, Wis. 4 7 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, old brick cheese. Henry Anderegg, 625 So. Eighth. Both phones. 3 27 tf

FOR SALE—Trap, suitable for small horse or pony. 821 State street. 3 30 tf

FOR RENT

SIX ROOM cottage, partly modern. Inquire 1739 Badger. 4 13 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. 317 South Eighth. 4 17 23

FOR RENT—Five room furnished flat downtown. Address L. L., Tribune. 4 18 tf

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping. 703 Pine. 4 22 tf

TO RENT—1219 Farnam. Apply 913 State. New phone 490-A. 4 22 24

FOR RENT—Steam heated rooms for light housekeeping, modern. 508 South Fifth. 4 22 25

FOR RENT—Furnished flat for housekeeping. New phone 194-A. 4 22 24

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms. 832 Mill. 4 22 28

FOR RENT—Five room house. Inquire 717 Badger. 4 22 tf

FOR RENT—Four room modern furnished flat for light housekeeping. 712 Cass street. 4 15 tf

FOR RENT—Five rooms, 407 South 23rd street. Call at 7 o'clock evenings. 4 20 tf

FOR RENT—Front room, one of Doerflinger apartments, 503 Cass upstairs. 4 20 25

FOR RENT—Seven room house, modern except heat, well located. Phone 739-C. 4 23 tf

FOR RENT—Eight room house. 921 Vine. 4 20 25

FOR RENT—Furnished room. 324 Jay street. 4 4 tf

FOR RENT—Eeven room house, with acre of land, near State Road on 22nd street. Inquire 921 Vine. 4 20 25

FOR RENT—Single or suite of furnished rooms, very pleasant and modern. 201 South Fifth street. 4 14 tf

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeepingg. 714 Cass. 4 6 tf

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED TO RENT—By June 1st, modern five to six room house with large garden. Address A. B. W., care of Tribune. 4 21 25

WANTED TO BUY—Small launch. 5496 old phone after 6 p. m. 4 20 23

WE CLEAN CARPETS and rugs with our large auto vacuum cleaner. If work is not satisfactory you pay nothing. New phone 819-R. Reeves, 418 Caledonia street. 4 20 tf

WANTED—Five or six room cottage. Call up new phone 957-R. 4 22 24

PLANTING TIME IS HERE—Let us price your wants in the nursery line. Catalogue free. The Northwood Nurseries, Coon Valley, Wis. 4 22 5 2

LACE CURTAINS done up reasonable. New phone 951-A. 4 22 tf

WANTED TO RENT by May 1, 7 or more rooms, also barn. New phone 639-M. 4 22 29

FOR RENT—Fine furnished city heated rooms. Gentlemen preferred. No housekeeping. 129 South Seventh street. 4 23 tf

WANTED—A four or five passenger car (Ford preferred). Must be in good running order. A. Eggen, 417 North Tenth street, city. 4 23 25

I WANT you to try a Brilliant Electric Suction Cleaner in your home free. A. O. Colby. 4 20 25

WANTED—To lease hotel and bar. Live Wisconsin town preferred. Address Bar, care of Tribune. 4 18 24

DRAYMEN ATTENTION! Free dumping ground for rubbish and for ashes, cinders and dirt we will pay. Standard Oil Company, Causeway plant. 4 14 24

WEIS' BOOK STORE is now located at 533 Main street, opposite St. Joseph's cathedral. 4 10 5 9

FOR HAULING ASHES and general teaming address H, care of Tribune. 4 2 5 1

NOW IS YOUR TIME to trade city property for improved or unimproved lands. Come and see me or write. Geo. H. Prock, Rice Lake, Wis. 3 31 4 30

UMBRELLAS REPAIRED. A. Mintz, 327 North Sixth. New phone 1561-C. 3 31 tf

LOST

LOST—Gold chain with pearl pendant, probably between 20th and Cass and the normal school. Reward at Tribune office. Phone 323. 4 3 tf

LOST—Pocketbook containing $5 bill and small change, between Sumner and Mill streets on Hagar. Return to 716 Sumner. 4 23 25

LOST—Pocketbook containing $42, owned by Ray Munn. Return to Oyen Sign Co., 125 North Third. Reward. 4 22 25

Cut Rate Shipping

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis-Minn.

Poultry Department



BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCK eggs, $1.00 for 15; $4.00 per hundred. Van Loon, La Crosse, Wis. Old phone 2054. 3 20 tf

ROSE COMB RHODE ISLAND REDS —Red to the skin, extra good color and size. Eggs $1.50 for 15; $5.00 for 100. Satisfaction guaranteed. W. H. Reed, Canton, Minn. 4 11 23

ROSE COMB BROWN LEGHORN eggs for hatching, $2.50 for 50; $4.00 for 100 eggs. John Schriver, 400 South Third street. 4 23 25

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock eggs, 50c per dozen. New phone 279-C. 4 17 23

FOUND

FOUND—Girl's gold bracelet. Picked up last winter. Apply Tribune office. 4 3 tf

FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION paid up stock is all right. 3 19 tf

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and diamonds. La Crosse Loan Co., 320 Main street, upstairs. 9 9 tf

LOANS on furniture and real estate J. W. Smith, 311 Pearl 5 5 tf

Piano Tuning

RENIER Piano Co., New Phone 1244-M, 322 South Fourth street. 2 13 tf

Stoves and Furniture

WE PAY HIGHEST PRICES for all second-hand stoves, furniture, carpets, clothing, etc. Jacob's, 223 Pearl street. New phone 555-R. 4 4 5 3

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITure and stoves. Bell Furniture & Stove Co., 216 South Third street, new telephone 1581-M. 3 2 tf

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Snapp—Well, all the fools are not dead yet. Mrs. Snapp—I'm glad of it. I never did look well in black.

CLERGYMAN WOULD JOIN

The war fever has reached the clergy. Today Recruiting Officer Joseph Evans received a letter from the Rev. J. A. Nordling, a Lutheran minister at Grand Rapids, Wis., requesting information relative to becoming an army chaplain. His letter was referred to the adjutant general at Washington.

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FOREIGN MARKETS

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, April 23—The stock market opened with prices somewhat lower than yesterday's close. The weakness of the London market showed its effect here.

11 a. m.—Dullness prevailed during the first hour and there was some irregularity. Mexican Petroleum opened 2¼ off at 62 and then fell to 60⅞.

Noon—The market rallied sharply during the second hour but at noon there was a relapse into dullness. Stocks held their gains. The statement of President Wilson reiterating that operations are directly solely against Huerta and those who come to his support was favorably received.

Chicago Livestock

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., April 23.—Hogs—Receipts 13,000; market strong; 5c higher; mixed and butchers $8.30 to $8.15; good heavy $8.45 to $8.62; rough heavy $8.10 to $8.20; light $8.35 to $8.65; pigs $7.10 to $8.10.

Cattle — Receipts 4,000; market slow; weak; beeves $7.05 to $9.35; cows and heifers $3.75 to $8.50; stockers and feeders $5.50 to $8.15; Texans $7.10 to $8.20; calves $6.00 to $8.50.

Sheep — Receipts 22,000; market steady to lower; native $5.20 to $6.70; western $5.30 to $6.80; lambs $6.15 to $8.10; western $6.20 to $8.25.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, April 23.—Butter—Extras 24c; firsts 21 to 22c; dairy extras 23c; firsts 19½ to 20½c.

Eggs—Prime firsts 17c; ordinary 18 to 18½c.

Cheese — Twins 16¼ to 16½c; Young Americas 15¾ to 16c.

Potatoes—65 to 72c.

Live Poultry—Fowls 17 to 17½c; ducks 16 to 17c; geese 14c; turkeys 15c.

Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, April 23.—Wheat—No. 2 red 95 to 95⅛c; No. 3 red 94c; No. 2 hard 93¼ to 93½c; No. 3 hard 93c; No. 3 spring 93½ to 94½c.

Corn—No. 3, 65¾ to 66c; No. 3 white 67c; No. 3 yellow 66½ to 66¾c; No. 4, 64¼ to 65c; No. 4 white 64½c; No. 4 yellow 65¾ to 66c.

Oats—No. 3 white 38¼ to 38¾c; No. 4 white 38 to 38½c; standard 39¼ to 39½c.

Chicago Grain Review

CHICAGO, April 23.—Wheat was easier at the start today, losing ½ to ⅝c on reports of light rains over Kansas and Nebraska. Moderate buying followed on the dip in May futures and that month recovered ⅜c of the early loss in the forenoon.

Corn was steady at the start and then advanced ⅜c for May on reports of lighter Argentine shipments.

Oats futures were off a fraction at the start on account of the weakness in wheat and suffered additional loss of ¼c for each month in the forenoon.

Provisions were easier despite a strong hog market.

Except for a slightly firmer feeling in May corn and oats, the grain markets closed about noon prices.

Provisions continued to sag gradually until the close.

Barley and Flax

Minneapolis barley 43 to 56c.
Minneapolis flax $1.50½ to 1.52½
Chicago barley 48 to 63c.
Duluth flax $1.52½.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
May . .	92½	93	92	92⅞
July . .	87½	87¾	87⅛	87½
CORN—				
May . .	64⅜	65⅛	64⅛	65
July . .	64¾	65	64⅜	64⅜
OATS—				
May . .	37¾	38⅜	37¼	37⅝
July . .	37¾	37¾	37¼	37¼
PORK—				
May . .	20.17	20.17	20.00	20.05
July . .	20.32	20.32	20.10	20.15
LARD—				
May . .	10.22	10.22	10.07	11.02
July . .	10.42	10.42	10.27	10.30
RIBS—				
May . .	11.02	11.02	10.95	10.97
July . .	11.20	11.20	11.15	11.15

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$4,500	C. A. Smith Lumber Co. — 6 per cent
$5,000	Fosburgh Lumber Co. — 6 per cent
$5,000	Union Lumber Co. — 6 per cent
$5,000	Arpin Hardwood Lumber Co. — 6 per cent
$8,900	Goddard & Co. — 6 per cent
$5,000	Carpenter-O'Brien Co. — 6 per cent
$4,000	Great Falls Power Co. — 5 per cent
$5,000	Omaha & Council Bluffs Street Railway Co. — 5 per cent
$5,000	Rockford & Interurban Railway Co. — 5 per cent
$5,000	Cicero Gas Co. — 5 per cent
$1,500	Pearsons Taft Land Credit Co. — 5.3 per cent
$10,000	Red River Timber Co. — 5 per cent

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FOR RENT—Two office rooms, one with fire-proof vault. Batavian National Bank.

WANTED---Female Help
We are in need of a few more girls in our knitting department. Good wages, steady work, plenty of light, sanitary conditions and a comfortable place to work. Call at once if you wish a good job. La Crosse Knitting Works.

DAILY MARKETS

Wholesale Fruit
(Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Figs, Calif., 12 to 12 oz.	85c
Dates, Anchor, 30 packages	$2.50
Dates, Excelsior, 30 packages	$2.75
Dates, Dromedary, 30 packages	$3.00
New Dates, per pound	6c
Bananas, per bunch	$1.50 to $2.00
California Lemons, box	$4.00 to 4.50
Lemons, Verdelli, 30 size box	$4.00
Oysters, Standards, gallon	$1.50
Cabbage, per hundred	$3.00
Oranges, Cal., box	$2.75
Grape Fruit	$4.00
Apples, Northern Spys	$5.00
Apples, Snows	$5.00
Apples, Grimes Golden	$5.00
Apples, Baldwins	$6.00
Apples, Greenings	$6.00
Apples, Cooking	$4.00
Apples, boxes	$1.75 to $1.90
Canada Rutabagas, per bu.	75c
Cider, Refined, per barrel	$6.50
Cider, Pure Juice, per barrel	$6.00
Cider, Crab Apple, half barrel	$5.50
Cider, Refined, half barrel	$3.75
Cider, Pure Juice, half barrel	$3.50
Onions, Yellow, per hd.	$4.00
Potatoes, per bushel	70c
Strawberries, per quart	50c

Livestock
(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)

Hogs	$7.50 to $8.00
Steers	$3.50 to $6.50
Cows	$3.00 to $5.00
Heifers	$3.00 to $5.50
Sheep	$2.50 to $3.00
Spring Lambs	$5.50 to $6.00

Poultry

Chickens	13 to 15c
Turkeys	14 to 15c
Ducks	12 to 13c
Geese	11 to 12c

Provisions

Lard, per pound	13¼ to 13¾c
Shoulders, per pound	13½c
Hams, per pound	16 to 16½c
Bacon, per pound	17 to 20c
Dried Beef, per pound	28 to 32c

Butter and Eggs
(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery butter, pound	25 to 27c
Dairy butter, pound	22c
Eggs, fresh, dozen	18c
Eggs, seconds, dozen	16c

Grain
(Quoted by Thomas Phalon Co.)

Corn	50 to 60c
Oats	32 to 38c
Wheat	75 to 80c
Rye	50 to 52c
Barley	50 to 65c

Flour and Feed
(Quoted by Listman Mill Co.)

Patent, per barrel	$4.90
Straight, per barrel	$4.70

Mill Feed

Bran, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$27.00
Shorts, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$28.00
White middlings, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$30.00
Red Dog, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$31.00

Cheese
(Quoted by Hy. Anderegg)

Fancy full cream twins	14¼ to 16c
Fancy full cream daisies	15 to 16c
Fancy full cream limburger	16 to 18c
Fancy full cream Swiss block	17-18c

FIND $5 FOR ASSAULT

Fred Replogle paid a $5 fine and costs in county court this morning after pleading guilty to an assault charge. Replogle was alleged to have assaulted Benjamin Petricek.

DON'T take the word of a friend, but come and see for yourself. Compare our qualities and prices with those found elsewhere.

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EXTRA SPECIAL! *EXTRA SPECIAL!*

April UNDERMUSLIN SALE

Beginning this year we are going to inaugurate what will be known hereafter as our **"ANNUAL APRIL SALE OF MUSLIN UNDERWEAR."** We have made extensive preparations for this event and are determined to make this sale one of marked success and popularity. We therefore offer you an assortment of the very newest and most desirable Spring Undermuslins, unsurpassed in beauty, quality, variety or money saving opportunities. Attend this sale Friday or any of the three days thereafter. It is truly a triumph of worthy goods and an appeal to taste and economy.



Sale Commences Tomorrow at 9 A. M. and no woman who has an Undermuslin want can afford to miss this great opportunity

TABLE NO. 1
Corset Covers, the regular 25c seller, sale price each **13c**

TABLE NO. 2
One lot of **Women's Drawers,** value supreme, special sale price **13c**

TABLE NO. 3
One lot **Combination Suits,** regular $1.25 quality, special sale price **89c**

TABLE NO. 4
Contains **Gowns,** the best values ever offered, sale price **39c**



EXTRA SPECIAL!
A big lot of **Children's Drawers,** the regular 10½c quality, all sizes 2 to 12, choice during this sale for..... **7c**

TABLE NO. 5
A big line of White Muslin **Petticoats,** worth more than the material is worth, special sale price of **23c**

TABLE NO. 6
Has excellent quality **Corset Cover** that retail regular for 35c, special sale price **19c**

TABLE NO. 7
Princess Slips, excellent $1.00 quality, special sale price **69c**

TABLE NO. 8
Marcella Combination Suits in Crepe and plain materials, $1.25 value, special sale price .. **98c**

EXTRA SPECIAL!
In **Marcella Combination,** we doubt if they will last all day; they are the regular $1.50 and $1.75 Marcella Combination, special sale price **$1.29**

Undermuslin on the Second Floor

SPECIAL
Corset Covers, 59c value, special for **48c**

Gowns. One lot $1.75 Gowns for **$1.19**
One lot 65c Gowns for **59c**

PETTICOATS
One lot Women's long Muslin Petticoats, regular 65c value, special price each **39c**

SPECIAL
Drawers, one lot 35c Drawers, special sale price **23c**

Princess Slips
A lot of a regular $1.25 value specially priced for Friday, Saturday and Monday at **98c**

PETTICOATS
Another great value in Women's Petticoats, the regular $1.50 value, specially priced each **95c**

Princess Slips
Another lot of the $2.00 grade specially priced for the three day sale at **$1.39**

The First Day of Our Three Days' Dress Goods Sale Proves a Tremendous Success

Hundreds of women attracted by the phenomenal price reductions thronged our aisles all day. To those who have not taken advantage of this opportunity we can say but this, "You will have something to regret."

10c for finest quality 15c sheer White **India Linen.**

19c for **Ratine,** a 45c fancy Stripe Ratine for Suits and Wash Skirts.

48c for **Plain and Fancy Silk Cord** and Nub Ratine, very rich finish, all colors, that sell and are worth 75c yard.

59c for pure **French Ramie Dress Linens.** These in 12 splendid dress shades, also White, 48 inches wide.

77c for **40 inch Ratine,** always sold at $1.50 yard, in most every color, also a beautiful Brocaded Ratine in Brown, Tan, Cadet, Wisteria.

36 inch Wash Silks in fancy fast color stripes for Shirts and Wash Waists and Suits, yard **39c**

58c to 75c Brocaded Pongee Silks and Brocaded Silk Tussahs, 27 and 36 in. wide, 20 different shades in several pretty styles for Wash Waists and Suits, yd. **44c**

Yard wide Satin Messaline in Black and colors, $1.25 everywhere and a good value, 20 pieces Black and staple shades, yard **95c**

Fancy Foulards in a very excellent assortment of styles that are new, 85c and $1.00 Cheney qualities, at yard **69c**

Printed 38 inch Oriental Crepe de Chines medium and dainty colored grounds, also White grounds. A real craze. One of the most popular fabrics of the season, yard **79c**

Drugs, Domestics, Etc.

UMBRELLAS
Steel rod Umbrellas, mercerized water proof cover..... **39c**

PILLOW CASES
Pepperell Pillow Cases, 36x42, at each **14c**

TABLE LINEN
All of our Oil Boiled Turkey Red and Blue Table Linen, per yard **39c**

WHISKY
Duffy's Pure Malt Whisky, $1.00 bottle each **79c**

Good Evening!

FOR FRIDAY we offer additional proofs of the supremacy of our Grocery Dept. as a bargain center.

5 pounds fine Granulated Sugar **19c**
3 boxes (500) Matches for **10c**
5 Salted Holland Herring **10c**
Fancy Brick Cheese, per pound **20c**
Sardines in pure olive oil, 15c value **11c**
Salmon, Reindeer brand, per can **15c**
Cut Wax Beans, Monsoon brand, No. 2 can **10c**
Fancy Naval Oranges, 150 size dozen **25c**

SPECIAL—Large assortment of Rose Bushes at each **10c**

No telephone orders accepted on these Specials. No Sugar delivered unless accompanied by a small order.

Drugs, Domestics, Etc.

FACE POWDER
La Blache Face Powder, 50c box each **39c**

SAGE AND SULPHUR
Sage and Sulphur Hair Tonic, 50c bottle each **39c**

SARSAPARILLA
Hood's Sarsaparilla, a good spring tonic, $1 bottle each.... **79c**

SEEDS
Flower and Vegetable Seeds, good variety, pkg. **1c**

LINEN
All of our $1.00 Table Linen, per yard **85c**

NORWEGIAN DOCTOR DELIVERS LECTURE

Rev. Sommerfelt of University of Christiania Speaks at Lutheran Church at Rushford

RUSHFORD, Minn., April 23.—On the evening of April 21st, Rushford residents had the pleasure of hearing Rev. A. Sommerfelt, M. D., pastor and physician from the University of Christiania, Norway. His subject was "The Soul's Influence on the Diseases of the body."

The Stork special stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sheldahl last Tuesday and left a sturdy little gentleman, who at once made himself at home there.

The roller skating craze has struck this city full blast and as a consequence it is scarcely safe to venture on the streets, as all those who participate in the pastime are not as careful of the rights of others as they might be.

During the Easter vacation, Mr. J. Jenson, of the city schools, went to Mitchell, S. D., to complete the necessary arrangements to taking out his second citizenship papers.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Coxe of Fountain, have been recent guests of the Craig home, in Brooklyn. Mr. Coxe was for some time instructor in the manual training department of our city schools and both her and his wife have a wide circle of friends here.

Ralph Hammond, who has been attending school at Faribault, arrived in the city last Saturday, for a six months' vacation with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gullickson of Ferry street. Master Ralph has completed his second year at the school for the blind and is very enthusiastic over the course of study pursued there. While his eyes are yet in quite good shape, it was deemed best to have him take up the work at the Faribault school. He brought home with him some very fine pieces of handiwork, made by himself. The pieces consist of a rug, pillow top, bead purses, trinket boxes, laundry bags and a large hammock.

Mr. F. A. Olson, who returned from Chicago after taking a course of treatment there, is still in very feeble health.

The Misses Carrie and Bernice Roberton arrived in this city from Great Falls, Mont., last Saturday. Miss Bernice surprised her people in Great Falls by going to spend her Easter vacation there and her sister, Miss Carrie, accompanied her back to this city for a visit.

Henry McKay, one of the prosperous farmers near Hart, has been through a very severe seige of pneumonia, but is now on the road to recovery, and if no complications set in, will soon be about again.

Another case of the careless handling of firearms occurred recently in South Rushford, when Albert Ebner sent a load of shot through one of his hands. Unless unforseen complications set in, the injured member will soon be in use again, having had immediate treatment by a physician.

Two farmers of North Prairie, Erick Bothum and Peter Bradley have decided to erect new and commodious homes this spring, Contractor Nelson having secured the contract for both places.

Mrs. Lathrop of St. Paul, is the guest of her brother, Rev. John Bantly of this city.

Stella Tofstad, who is teaching the Ferndale school, spent Sunday with her parents in this city.

A new church is being erected over at Greenleafton. Contractor J. Akre and a crew of workmen doing the work.

Louis Peterson of Harmony, has been a recent guest of the Ole Quarve and John Peterson homes in this city and of the Ensrud home in Lanesboro.

Mrs. Olaf Lee of Brooklyn, is the guest of friends and relatives at Fertile, Minn.

Mr. Madison Gregg, who we understand, is engaged in teaching at Granger, this state, has entered the race for county superintendent of schools in Fillmore county, running against Mr. Oscar Carlson, the present incumbent, who is in the race for another term.

Mr. W. H. Lee is also a candidate for the office of county superintendent of the Filmore county schools.

The food sale held by the ladies of the Rushford Presbyterian church last Saturday afternoon, netted a tidy sum, despite the rain, which fell almost all day. These sales have but one draw back, that being the demand for home baking exceeding the supply. After this sale, it is probable that there will be held one each month, presumably at the same place, D. J. Shirven's store.

The seventh and eighth grades of our city schools have been recently admitted to the agricultural class and this summer will plant gardens of their own and attend the same.

Rev. Savig has leased the Jaastad property in North Rushford, lately vacated by Mr. J. E. Parish and family. The family of Mr. Saevig moved into their new home last week.

Work on the new residence being built by Olavas Olson, near his own home, is going on rapidly. The building will be commodious and modern, when completed.

The town of Peterson is to have a new veterinary surgeon. Mr. N. A. Scarstad having determined to locate there. The gentleman was born and raised near Peterson and therefore is well known, being one who is lucky enough to have a wide circle of friends and acquaintances.

The most enthusiastic followers of "Ike Walton" have been busy digging bait and fixing their fishing tackle, lately. Red horse and suckers are about all that have responded to their patient (?) efforts.

DANDRUFF SURELY DESTROYS THE HAIR

Makes It Dull, Brittle, Lifeless, and Causes It to Fall Out

Girls—if you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff, for it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't.

It doesn't do much good to try to brush or wash it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy, every single sign and trace of it.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop, and your hair will be silky, fluffy, lustrous, soft, and look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much dandruff you have. This simple remedy never fails.

VARSITY WOMEN WISH TO ENLIST

Students at "U" Will Serve as Nurses if Call Is Issued; Governor Reviews Troops

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—Women students of the University of Wisconsin have caught the enthusiasm over the war crisis and if a call for volunteers is made, necessitating the services of Red Cross nurses, there will be no small number of women who will leave their studies for service in field hospitals.

Among those already planning to offer their services are Marjorie Hompe, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Ruth Peck, Evansville, Ind.; Esther Levitan, Madison.

Many Willing to Go

Several said they would be willing to go if the call were urgent. They were students in medicine, among them being Edna G. Ryar, Madison; Bird Arnold, Glenn Ellyn, Ill.; Maud Hilberry, Sleepy Eye, Minn.; Clara Hillesheim, Blue River; Mary T. Roudebusch, Memphis, Tenn.; Mary Stoeber, Madison; Edith Tombagen, Chicago.

At a recent vocational conference for women students nursing was one of the subjects discussed. After the conference a large number of women held special conferences with the speaker and indicated their interest.

Governor Reviews Regiments

Wartime scenes greet Madisonians on all sides. The adjutant general's office is busy answering communications from its thirty-eight military stations over the state. Recruits to Company G, First regiment, are being drilled extra hours and the drill hall resounds with commands of drill sergeants. Two regiments of the University of Wisconsin corps of cadets passed in review before Governor McGovern and Brigadier General Holway.

Some people are so eager to be on the right side that they will take both sides.

MRS. THOMSON TELLS WOMEN

How She Was Helped During Change of Life by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Philadelphia, Pa.—"I am just 52 years of age and during Change of Life I suffered for six years terribly. I tried several doctors but none seemed to give me any relief. Every month the pains were intense in both sides, and made me so weak that I had to go to bed. At last a friend recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to me and I tried it at once and found much relief. After that I had no pains at all and could do my housework and shopping the same as always. For years I have praised Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for what it has done for me, and shall always recommend it as a woman's friend. You are at liberty to use my letter in any way."—Mrs. THOMSON, 649 W. Russell St., Philadelphia, Pa.



Change of Life is one of the most critical periods of a woman's existence. Women everywhere should remember that there is no other remedy known to carry women so successfully through this trying period as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

NAME GRAND OFFICERS

NEENAH, Wis., April 23.—Major J. B. Schneller of the First Wisconsin infantry has made the following appointments to his staff: F. J. Schneller, Neenah, adjutant, with the rank of first lieutenant; quartermaster commissary, Hans Hilsenhoff, Madison, with rank of second lieutenant; N. C. Jersild, Neenah, sergeant major, and orderlies, Richard C. Erdman, Oconomowoc; J. W. Bolinski, Milwaukee, and H. H. Albright, Neenah.

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PREPARE CALL FOR 25,000 VOLUNTEERS WILSON REFUSES REBEL DEMAND TO WITHDRAW TROOPS FROM VERA CRUZ

O'SHAUGHNESSY IS GIVEN PASSPORTS WILL START AT ONCE

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Charge O'Shaughnessy has been handed his passports by Huerta. He will leave Mexico City today or early Friday morning. This is the first official step toward open declaration of war.

Early today a cable was received from the American charge. It said: "Having been given my passports, I am leaving Thursday night or Friday morning."

This was the first word from O'Shaughnessy in over forty-eight hours.

The message from O'Shaughnessy was given out at 3:20 a. m. today. It was believed to have been received about midnight. The president was hauled from bed to hear the message read over the telephone by Secretary Tumulty who passed a sleepless night.

With Charge O'Shaughnessy enroute from Mexico City, this government waited anxiously today for an expected formal declaration of war from Huerta.

Handing O'Shaughnessy his passports formally severed diplomatic relations. Algara, Mexican charge here, was expected to ask for his passports before noon. They will be promptly turned over.

No longer is there any doubt that there is to be a general conflict with a united Mexico lined up solidly against the might of the United States. Carranza has spoken and his declaration is interpreted by President Wilson and his advisers as a threat.

There will be no more disposition shown to temporize with Carranza than there has been to condone Huerta's efforts.

Officials here believe that Huerta has a formal declaration of war ready, but so far they have not received notification of its issuance. Because of the fragmentary state of communication with the Mexican capital, they do not know whether the dictator has taken the matter up with the Mexican congress. His attitude, however, is clearly set forth in his statement of late last night, in which he said war was on and promised to have an army of 400,000 men in the field in twenty days.

GEN. CARRANZA WILL JOIN HIS FORCES WITH HUERTA AGAINST UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON, April 23.—It is a practical certainty that General Carranza, rebel chief, will join with Huerta against the United States.

Carranza last night wired to President Wilson a statement that he regarded the occupation of Vera Cruz as an act of hostility toward the Mexican nation, and demanded that the marines now holding the city be withdrawn.

President Wilson refused. In a statement issued this morning he reiterated his assertion that the United States is making war upon Huerta, not upon the Mexican people, and asserted the right of the nation to enforce its demands upon whom it saw fit.

The vital paragraph in Carranza's message follows:

"The invasion of our territory and the permanency of your forces in the port of Vera Cruz are a violation of our rights and will drag us into an unequal war with dignity, but which until today we desire to avoid * * * Huerta is a culprit and his individual acts never will be sufficient to involve the Mexican nation in a distrous war with the United States, because he is not the legitimate organ of our national sovereignty."

The diplomatic language in which Carranza's note is couched is interpreted by the administration officials to mean that the rebel chief intends to combine with Huerta, and make common cause against the United States. Carranza in his statement, declares that the occupation of Vera Cruz was an act of hostility toward the Mexican nation.

President Wilson had especially disclaimed any act of hostility to the Mexican people, particularizing Gen. Huerta as the object of the American operations to secure reprisal for offenses at Tampico and elsewhere against the American flag.

Hoped for Rebel Silence

Consequently the Washington government had hoped the constitutionalists would remain silent and not interject themselves in the imbroglio. The Carranza letter, however, confirmed the fears of many officials that the constitutionalists might side with Huerta.

The note of General Carranza was privately interpreted by officials as an open threat. His demand for withdraway of American forces from Vera Cruz was a grave indication that United States troops might be forced not only to fight Huerta's army of impressed men, but the victorious rabble of Villa.

Wilson's Stand

The president made the following comment on Carranza's statement:

"I wish to reiterate with the greatest earnestness the desire and intention of this government to respect in every possible way the sovereignty and independence of the people of Mexico. The feeling and intention of the government in this matter is not based upon policy. They go much deeper than that. They are based upon a genuine friendship for the Mexican people and a profound interest in the re-establishment of their constitutional system. Whatever unhappy circumstances or necessities may arise, this object will be held strictly in view and pursued with consistent purpose so far as this government is concerned.

Must Punish Huetra

"But we are dealing with facts. Wherever and whenever the dignity of the United States is flouter, its international rights or the rights of citizens invaded, or its influence rebuffed where it has the right to attempt to exercise it, that government must deal with those actually in control. It is now dealing with General Huerta within the territory he controls. That he does not rightfully control does not alter the fact that he does control it.

"We are dealing, moreover, only with those whom he commands and those who come to his support. With these we must deal. They do not lawfully represent the people of Mexico. It that fact we rejoice, because our quarrel is not with the Mexican people, and we do not desire to dictate their affairs. But we must enforce our rightful demands upon those whom the existing authorities at the place where we act, do, for the time being represent."

Plan Landings

It is generally believed that as a result of the conference the orders for ship movements on the entire east and west coasts of Mexico—constitutionalist territory as well as federal—will be issued within a very short time. There is no doubt that that landings will be necessary at a number of points where foreign interests predominate but no word will be permitted to issue regarding plans.

Meanwhile, Secretary of War Garrison was at his desk conferring with the heads of the general staff of the army. He refused to make public any intimation of what the department was doing or expected to do along the border.

It was known that for a week or more high army officials have been pleading vainly with the administration heads to shut off the heavy stream of arms and ammunition that has been going across the border to the constitutionalists under President Wilson's order raising the embargo.

Order Secret Embargo

It was practically certain today that secret orders had gone out to hold up shipments of arms across the northern border. Officially there is no legal ground for such a situation, but it is believed the customs officials have been secretly tipped to use every expedient to red tape and delay clearance of such shipments.



Gen. Venustiano Carranza who as constitutionalist leader defies United Stat es and will join forces with Huerta.

BATTLE ON BORDER IS IMMINENT AS U. S. SOLDIERS ENTRENCH

TODAY'S DEVELOPMENTS IN THE MEXICAN SITUATION

President Wilson issues statement diplomatically warning Carranza and others that they will join Huerta in opposing American demands at their peril.

Grave fears for Americans in Mexico City.

Diplomatis relations with Mexico severed.

Charge O'Shaughnessy in Mexico City given passports by Huerta.

Charge Algara in Washington called to state department and handed passports by Secretary of State Bryan.

United States refuses to evacuate Vera Cruz as asked by Carranza.

Unofficial embargo placed on the shipment of arms into northern Mexico.

Total of eight Americans killed in the capture of Vera Cruz reported in dispatches from Admiral Fletcher.

Consular agents ordered to spare no expense in getting Americans out of Mexico.

Rear Admiral Mayo at Tampico reports all quiet in that city.

Warlike preparations at Tia Juana, across California border.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The war department has completed the draft of a call for 25,000 volunteers. It will not be issued until necessary, but most of the officials believe the necessity will soon arrive.

No volunteer organizations not connected with the regular militia will be considered by the war department for Mexican service.

This was made clear today to several Massachusetts militia officers, who accompanied by Senator Weeks, called upon Chief of Staff Gen. Wotherspoon.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 23.—The Mexican federal commander at Tia Juana, Mexico, 18 miles south ofhere, today ordered all non-combatants to leave there, evidently anticipating a fight with the United States troops sent to the border from Fort Rosecrans. The women and children are being taken to Ensenada and all of the men are being forced into the service of the federal army.

United States troops, just across the border, are throwing up entrenchments at San Ysidro. Captain Condon, commanding the United States soldiers, announced that all women ad childre will be ordered out of San Ysidro today.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—In a telegram received at 3 a. m. today at the navy department from Rear Admiral Badger, the following list of casualties in fighting Wednesday at Vera Cruz was reported.

DEAD:

Marine corps:

RUFUS EDWARD PERCY

SEAMEN:

L. O. FRIED.
W. I. WATSON.
F. T. DELOWRY.
A. S. STREAM.
C. A. SMITH.
H. G. DEFABIR, gunner's mate.
FRANK DEVORICK.

SERIOUSLY WOUNDED:

Marine corps:

Lieut. J. P. Laren, ordinance officer battleship New Hampshire

SLIGHTLY INJURED:

Sergt. M. Fitzgerald; Private J. Peoples; Private A. G. Ebel; Private H. E. Holsinger.

Bluejackets:

H. Pullian, fireman; C. M. Guilloan, seaman; W. Ponkowski, seaman; H. J. Kapplen, seaman; W. M. Bass, seaman; C. L. Nodsiek, seaman; J. L. Bennett, coxswain; K. Christy, seaman; H. E. Botile, seaman; J. Cantwell, no rating; A. E. Doe, seaman; .... Robinson, seaman; L. W. Taylor, no rating; F. N. Kalmers, no rating.

PLAN MAUSOLEUM FOR WEST SALEM

West Salem is to have a mausoleum similar to that of La Crosse but somewhat smaller. Preliminary steps have already been taken toward that end and articles of incorporation for the purpose of carrying on the work were filed with Register of Deeds Andrew Thompson here. B. B. Mercereau, G. W. Dudley and S. C. Sander are the incorporators. The company will be known as the Hamilton Mausoleum company and will operate without capital stock.

ORDER FLEET OUT

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The third division of the Atlantic fleet now at Boston was ordered yesterday to sail for Mexico on April 25.

WRITING NECESSARY TO JOIN THE ARMY

Bernard Egan, La Crosse recruiting officer, gives the following list of requirements to join the United States army:

Height, five feet four inches; weight, 120 pounds; hearing and sight, normal; ability to read and write the English language; first citizenship papers. Any form of disease, any physical defect such as a missing finger or toe, lack of ordinary intelligence or flat footedness will bar applicants. The most common trouble discovered in applicants, he declares, is defective eyes.

There are a lot of cheap men, although the women are blamed for low wages in many fields of endeavor.

CLERGYMAN WOULD JOIN

The war fever has reached the clergy. Today Recruiting Officer Joseph Evans received a letter from the Rev. J. A. Nordling, a Lutheran minister at Grand Rapids, Wis., requesting information relative to becoming an army chaplain. His letter was referred to the adjutant general at Washington.

EL PASO, Tex., April 23.—Acting on instructions from Washington, Col. C. P. Hatfield, commanding the Second cavalry brigade at Fort Bliss, at 11 a. m. today notified Collector of Customs Cobb to prohibit the exportation of arms and ammunition to constitutionalists or other persons through the El Paso port to Juarez or through the El Paso customs district at any point.

The constitutionalists have a shipment of 150,000 rounds of ammunition due to arrive today and also have orders for 1,500,000 cartridges enroute to El Paso

Your father and your father's father will tell you that

Gund's Peerless Beer

GOOD SINCE 1854

has been good since years before the war. An honest product of the soil. Wholesome, healthful, unequalled in purity and delicious flavor. Ideal for the home table during the summer. Your dealer will keep you supplied.

John Gund Brewing Co.
La Crosse, Wisconsin

Galvanized Iron Roofing, Eavestroughs, Porch Roofs, Furnace Work and all other kinds of Sheet-metal Work promptly attended to.

FRED DITTMAN Hardware Co.

Phone 206 129 South Fourth St.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

BY HAL SHERIDAN

Clark Griffith's crowd climbed to second place because the Highlanders pulled a series of misplays, giving Warhop miserable backing.

The Cobb-Crawford combined fleets worked effectively again, shelling Branch Rickey's college craft for three runs and the game in the third.

Comiskey's White Sox look like champions of the world—for the month of April, 1914.

In four Federal games yesterday, number of hits totalled 84.

While prelims for the Cub season opening were under way, Charley Murphy, late magnate, picked the Cubs as pennant winners. Charley Herzog's Reds then licked 'em, 4 to 3.

B. B. COMMISSION MEETS IN SECRET

CHICAGO, April 23.—The national baseball commission reconvened in its second session late yesterday afternoon, but information concerning what was done at the forenoon session was flatly refused. Chairman Garry Herrmann, President Ban S. Johnson of the American league, and Secretary John Heydler of the National league, representing Governor John Tener, "sat in" at the meeting.

The rule should be that no man should wed a spring chicken young enough to be known as his child wife.



8126 8058

COTTON RAILINE AND COTTON VELVET FAVORED FABRICS FOR THE TOP COAT.

Although tweed and like wool fabrics are used a great deal for the separate coat, several of the new heavy cottons are also favored; railine, golfine and cotton velvet are among these. These cotton fabrics come in all the new shades and are especially effective in the brighter yellows and scarlets. The coat shown in No. 8126 is developed in yellow cotton railine; the back extends over the shoulders to form a shaped yoke; there is an inset cuff and a turn-over collar which may be worn standing. To make this coat in size 36, requires 3⅝ yards of 42 inch material. All of these cottons average 42 inches in width and range in price from $2.50 a yard and up.

The street dress illustrated in No. 8058, displays unusually trim lines and may be made up effectively in either one of the popular checks or stripes. Here it is developed in plaid, showing two shades of gray; collar, cuffs and the lower part of the vest are of black satin, and the upper part of the vest is of fine white voile with a line of tiny glass buttons extending down the front. This fine voile is much used for vests and collars at the moment and is dainty and becoming.

Five and one-quarter yards of 42 inch material is needed to make up this design in size 36.

When a girl is a prude she is generally looking for something to shock her.

Standing Of Clubs

National League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburg	6	1	.857
Philadelphia	4	1	.800
Brooklyn	3	1	.750
St. Louis	3	4	.427
Cincinnati	2	4	.333
Chicago	2	4	.333
New York	1	3	.250
Boston	1	4	.200

American League

Chicago	7	1	.875
Detroit	5	2	.714
Washington	4	2	.667
New York	3	2	.600
St. Louis	3	4	.429
Philadelphia	2	3	.400
Boston	2	4	.333
Cleveland	0	8	.000

Federal League

St. Louis	6	1	.857
Buffalo	3	1	.750
Baltimore	3	2	.6z0
Brooklyn	2	2	.500
Indianapolis	3	4	.429
Kansas City	3	4	.429
Chicago	2	5	.286
Pittsburg	0	3	.000

American Association

Indianapolis	6	1	.857
Milwaukee	5	1	.833
Louisville	4	3	.571
Kansas City	4	4	.500
St. Paul	4	5	.444
Cleveland	3	5	.375
Minneapolis	2	4	.333
Columbus	1	5	.167

GAMES YESTERDAY

National League

Philadelphia, 3; Boston, 1.
Cincinnati, 4; Chicago, 3.
New York-Brooklyn, wet grounds.

American League

Washington, 2; New York, 1.
Chicago, 7; Cleveland, 0.
Detroit, 4; St. Louis, 2.
Boston, 9; Philadelphia, 9 (called by agreement at end of eighth inning).

Federal League

Buffalo, 9; Pittsburg, 6.
Baltimore, 9; Brooklyn, 8.
St. Louis, 5; Chicago, 4.
Kansas City, 4; Indianapolis, 3.

American Association

No games scheduled.

GAMES TODAY

National League

St. Louis at Pittsburg.
Cincinnati at Chicago.
Philadelphia at New York.
Brooklyn at Boston.

American League

Chicago at Cleveland.
Detroit at St. Louis.
Boston at Washington.
New York at Philadelphia.

Federal League

St. Louis at Indianapolis.
Brooklyn at Pittsburg.
Buffalo at Baltimore.

American Association

Milwaukee at St. Paul.
Kansas City at Minneapolis.
Cleveland at Columbus.
Louisville at Indianapolis.

M'MAHON TO COAST

NEWCASTLE, Pa., April 23.—Tom McMahon, white hope destroyer, left here today for Los Angeles, where he will fight Kid Kenneth May 8. Plans made by Promoter McCarey to bring George Chip and Patsy Brannigan to the coast for a series of fights have fallen through.

GERMANS BEAT LATINS

The team representing the girls of the normal German department defeated the girls of the Latin department in a game of basketball last night by the close score of 7 to 4. The game was the most interesting girls' game of the season.

NORMAL BALL GAME TODAY

The normal school and high school baseball teams will meet in the first real game of baseball in this city this season this afternoon. Saubert and Holthaus will in all probabililty be the normal battery, while King and Weeks serve them up for the highs.

SPORTS

CHANCE'S YANKEES LOSE TO SENATORS

Pitchers' Battle Goes to Washington Club; Boston and Quakers Play Tie Game

CUBS LOSE IN UPHILL GAME

Make Strong Effort to Come Back Near End of Game but Lose to Reds by 3 to 4 Score

CHICAGO, April 23.—The Cubs were defeated in a rather poor opening, 4 to 3, yesterday. Pierce held the Reds to three hits, two of which in the fourth counted three runs. The score:

	R	H	E
Cincinnati . . .000300100—4	3	2	
Chicago . . . .000100011—3	5	1	

Batteries: Ames, Benton and Clarke; Pierce, Koestner and Archer.

Philadelphia 3, Boston 1

Score:	R	H	E
Boston . . . . .001000000—1	5	1	
Philadelphia .00001200x—3	6	0	

Batteries: Rudolph and Gowdy; Alexander and Killifer.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Washington 2, New York 1

NEW YORK, April 23.—The Senators took the rubber game from the Yanks yesterday 2 to 1, Ayres and Engle combined to beat the veteran Warhop. Score:

	R	H	E
Washington . .010010000—2	5	1	
New York . . .000000100—1	8	4	

Batteries: Engel, Ayres and Henry; Warhop and Sweeney.

Boston 9, Philadelphia 9

BOSTON, April 23.—Another tie game wound up the Red Sox-Athletic series yesterday afternoon, the score being 9 to 9. At the end of the eighth inning the game was called to allow the two teams to catch their trains. The Red Sox appeared to have a commanding lead in the fourth inning, but the champions tied the score. In the seventh Philadelphia made four more runs, but Boston did the same in the eighth. The score:

	R	H	E
Philadelphia . . .10004040—9	11	5	
Boston . . . . .00140004—9	9	2	

Batteries: Wyckoff, Houck, Plank and Schang; Bedient, Coombs, Foster, Kelly and Cady. (Called by agreement.)

Detroit 4, St. Louis 2

ST. LOUIS, April 23.—The work of Cobb and Crawford featured the opening American league game here yesterday. Detroit winning 4 to 2. Score:

	R	H	E
Detroit . . . .003010000—4	8	4	
St. Louis . . .200000000—2	10	2	

Batteries: Dauss and Stanage; Hamilton and Crossin.

Chicago 7, Cleveland 0

CLEVELAND, O., April 23. — The Naps dropped their eighth straight game, 7 to 0 to the White Sox yesterday. Score:

	R	H	E
Chicago . . . .002003200—7	5	1	
Cleveland . . .000000000—0	6	5	

Batteries: Russell, Scott and Schalk; Blanding, Collamore, Billings and Carisch.

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Buffalo 9, Pittsburg 6

Score:	R	H	E
Buffalo . . . .023112000—9	10	2	
Pittsburgh . . .000302010—6	11	5	

Batteries: Moran, Ford and Blair; Camnitz, Walker and Berry.

Baltimore 9, Brooklyn 8

Score:	R	H	E
Brooklyn . . .015010100—8	15	3	
Baltimore . . .00004032x—9	11	3	

Batteries: Seaton and Owen; Smith, Suggs, Wilhelm and Jacklitsch.

St. Louis 5, Chicago 4

Chicago . . . .002001001—4	5	1	
St. Louis . . .10003001x—5	12	1	

Batteries: McGuire and Wilson; Crandall and Hartley.

Kansas City 4, Indianapolis 3

Indianapolis . .100000101—3	8	2	
Kansas City . .030000001—4	10	1	

Batteries: Mullin and Texter; Packard and Easterly.

PLAN CLASS PLAY

The graduating class of the normal school at a meeting on Monday decided to have a class play. It was generally believed that the play to be given by the Buskin Dramatic cub would take the place of the class play, but the class was not in favor of this. It was also decided that this play was not to be Shakespearean, as were the former class plays, but modern.

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BALL SEASON TO OPEN AT SPARTA

First Game to Be Played Tomorrow Between City and High School Teams

SPARTA, Wis., April 23.—The baseball season will open in Sparta tomorrow, when the city team, the "White Sox," and the high school nine are scheduled for a game at 4 o'clock out at the fair grounds. This will be the first game for both teams. High school practice began Monday night and about twenty-five candidates reported for practice. A winning team should be picked from among this number. The city team is to be run on a sounder business basis this year than in previous years. Players are to be held to their jobs by signed contracts, which make them liable to punishment if negligent.

Harry Adams and family of Spokane, Wash., are visiting friends in Sparta. Harry is now a conductor on the new extension of the Milwaukee road, and has his headquarters in Spokane. The Adamses expect to return to the west Saturday.

TREMPEALEAU, WIS.

Mrs. Anna Cosgriff of Bangor was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Sparling Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Nicholls entertained at dinner Wednesday night in honor of Mrs. Ducklow of Wilton. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. and H. L. Sparling and Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Hutchins.

Mrs. Arthur Brink of Elroy is the guest of Miss Brink.

Miss Amanda Zaimerman spent the week with her sister, Mrs. Will Drugan.

Mr. Joe Hannam was a Galesville caller Saturday.

Mrs. George Gibbs, Mrs. Arthur Gibbs and Mrs. Grace Bemis were among the La Crosse shoppers Monday.

Mr. Harley Thomas of Chicago is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas.

Mrs. L. E. Putnam, Mrs. Charles Growt, Mrs. Bert Lane and Mrs. John Towner attended the meeting at the home of Mrs. Oscar Bergquist of Galesville Saturday, given by the ladies of the Norwegian church.

Mr. Everett Smith and Ira Lehman were in Winona on business Saturday.

Mrs. George Moore was a Galesville shopper Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Holmes will move into the residence recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. L. Lamb. Mr. and Mrs. Lamb will move to South Dakota with their son Elroy.

Mrs. Charles Ducklow, who has been visiting at the home ofMr. and Mrs. Will Nicholls and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sparling, returned to her home in Wilton Sunday noon.

Mr. Mullendoir, who has been the guest of Douglas Crockett, returned to his home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Shepherd of Blair spent Saturday and Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Will Bright.

The Ladies' Aid society will hold its annual experience social at the Woodman hall Friday night. A supper will be served and every one is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Chas. Pierson and Mrs. J. Grover were Galesville shoppers Saturday.

Mrs. Stangle returned from La Crosse, where she spent the week with her daughter, Mrs. Ollie Spear.

Mrs. Trim and daughter and Mrs. D. Payne returned to their home in Waupun Thursday.

Mr. W. A. Graves was in Winona Tuesday on business.

Mrs. E. Weldon was a La Crose shopper Tuesday.

Mr. Howard Aldrich of Onalaska was in town on business Saturday.

Mrs. S. E. Hutchins and daughter Ruth and Miss Mae Thomas were La Crosse shoppers Saturday.

Miss Verna Bigelow and Miss Auline Nicholls were in Galesville Saturday at the home of Mrs. Oscar Bergquist.

Mrs. Fred Ford and son are in Madison visiting her sister, Mrs. Wallace Hannaman.

Miss Alma Olstead spent Saturday in Galesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Nicholls entertained at dinner Friday night Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Growt, Rev and Mrs. Wikinson, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Putnam, Mrs. Erwin Atwood, Mrs. Chas. Ducklow of Wilton, Mrs. Stangle and Mrs. Charlotte Nicholls.

Mr. Chas. Drugan, who has recently returned from Texas, visited his parents Friday.

Mrs. C. W. Thomas entertained at dinner Friday night Mr. Albert Hoberton of Greely, Col., Mrs. Morrison of San Diego, Cal., and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Merwin.

Miss Mae Thomas was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Thomas Sunday at dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bell of Winona have moved into the Payne house. Mr. Bell will work for Fred Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander are moving into the Stokes place.

Miss Jennie Bright was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Elkins at supper Sunday night.

Miss Sands of Winona is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Putnam.

Trempealeau high school beat the Onalaska highs 5 to 8 Saturday. Come again, boys. Zeb is some player.

Mrs. I. Case was a Galesville visitor Saturdaq.

Mrs. Glen Drugan is visiting her mother, Mrs. L. S. Hansen.

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MADISON, Wis., April 23.—There is a possibility that the so-called cheese combine in Wisconsin may be prosecuted either by federal or state officials. The facts have been played before Commissioner of Corporations Joseph E. Davies at Washington, whose department is making an investigation of unlawful restraints of trade. It has also been called to the attention of the two United States senators and the congressmen of Wisconsin, the governor and Attorney General Walter C. Owen. The first action in this matter was taken last week at a meeting of the officials of the Wisconsin branch of the American Society of Equity.

LA CROSSE GIRL WINS HER POINTS

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—The members of the Women's Athletic association of the "U" to win their hundred points by perfect work on four pieces of gymnasium apparatus are: Elsie Newman, Madison; Marguerite F. Slawson, Eau Claire; Freda Boss, Superior; Charlotte L. Kurz, Milwaukee, and Helen Ulrich, La Crosse. They are the first to receive points awarded for this honor.

DANCE FOR DEBT

The Normal School Athletic association will give its annual dance in the normal gymnasium on Friday of this week. The association has a large debt to wipe out and the proceeds of this ball will be used for that purpose. This dance is the one big event of its kind during the school year.

But when the millenium starts in business the man behind the muck rake will be out of a job.

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WHAT CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION DOES

(BY J. M. WYLIE)

The state civil service commission has recently come in for its share of damning as one of those "useless state bureaus," and it has variously been called a figurehead and a job trust, to sustain the assertion that state jobs are still filled with political favorites and incompetents. So Secretary J. A. Hazelwood, who happens to be also a prominent democrat, was asked what his commission was supposed to be for, anyway, and if it was accomplishing its purpose. This is his reply:

The Wisconsin civil service commission seeks to eliminate politics, religion, friendship and relationship as considerations for state service, and insert in lieu thereof merit and fitness for the work to be performed. In the early history of our government the scholar, statesman and politician were one and the same person. The merit system was truly put into operation during the early history of our country without civil service provisions. George Washington selected his subordinates wholly on the basis of fitness for the duties to be performed. He refused to appoint relatives to public office. Jefferson went further and reluctantly appointed friends to positions in public service.

The spoils system came into existence during the days of Andrew Jackson. During the first twenty-five years of our nation's history there were but thirty changes or dismissals of employes in public service. During "Old Hickory's" first term there were 2200 removed from public service owing to political beliefs, and at the behest of friends Andrew Jackson appointed henchmen in their places. Inefficiency in public service resulted.

WISCONSIN FELT THE BALEFUL INFLUENCE OF THE SPOILS SYSTEM FOR MANY YEARS. AT EACH CHANGE OF STATE OFFICERS AND CHANGE OF SUPERINTENDENTS OF OUR INSTITUTIONS THERE FOLLOWED A GENERAL DISMISSAL OF EMPLOYES. EFFICIENT ONES WERE DISMISSED AND INEFFICIENT ONES TAKEN INTO THE STATE SERVICE. Frequent changes in employes in any service cannot be otherwise than detrimental.

All the large cities of the country and most of the states of the Union have civil service provisions for the selection of subordinate employes. THE CIVIL SERVICE LAW IN WISCONSIN WAS ENACTED BY ALMOST UNANIMOUS VOTE OF THE LEGISLATURE IN 1905. THE APPOINTING AUTHORITIES OF THE STATE ARE NO LONGER TOOLS OF POLITICAL FRIENDS IN THE MATTER OF THE SELECTION OF THEIR ASSISTANTS. PRIOR TO THE ENACTMENT OF THE CIVIL SERVICE LAW MANY OF THE APPOINTING AUTHORITIES WERE MERELY PUPPETS JERKED BY UNSEEN STRINGS WHEN IT CAME TO A MATTER OF APPOINTING PEOPLE FOR STATE SERVICE.

Men in public life are coming to realize more and more that they are placed under great trusts and responsibilities, and no man has the right to use his trust for his own selfish ends. Graft and corruption have resulted in many of our municipalities on account of the indifference on the part of the public towards the selection of public officials.

THE WISCONSIN CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION HAS NOW ABOUT 2,500 EMPLOYES UNDER ITS SUPERVISION. MOST OF THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN TAKEN INTO STATE SERVICE SINCE 1906 HAVE BEEN EMPLOYED AFTER PASSING COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS. PUBLIC SENTIMENT IN WISCONSIN IS BACK OF THE CIVIL SERVICE WORK. ANY CITIZEN IN THE STATE WHO HAS THE ABILITY AND DESIRE, HAS A RIGHT TO SERVE THE PUBLIC IF HE BE THE BEST QUALIFIED FOR THE RESPONSIBILITY. The state of Wisconsin is entitled to the best service of the best men and women it can secure for the money it is willing to pay. The best men and women can be held to the highest standards of efficiency, and be made to feel that it is an honor to render public service.

We are a government of men, and we can have no government better than the men who administer it. In the administration of the laws of the state there are positions that require men of large initiative and executive ability; there are others that require only ordinary ability on the part of those called upon to perform the service. This being true, it naturally suggests that great care must be exercised in the selection of men to fill the various positions.

The Wisconsin civil service commission has the work so well organized at the present time that the merit system's usefulness is sure to increase. There is a lot of room for the extension of the system in the state; in fact, APPOINTING AUTHORITIES ARE CONSTANTLY CALLING UPON THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION FOR ITS ASSISTANCE IN THE SELECTION OF EMPLOYES NOT BY LAW PLACED UNDER CIVIL SERVICE. This fact suggests that the commission has the confidence of those in authority to select employes. NO ONE IN WISCONSIN WHO IS SERIOUS WITH HIMSELF DESIRES TO RETURN TO THE OLD SYSTEM OF SELECTING STATE EMPLOYES.

THE ATTACKS MADE UPON THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION DURING THE FORMER YEARS OF ITS EXISTENCE PROVED TO BE UNJUTIFIABLE. THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION HAS UNDOUBTEDLY SUCCESSFULLY ACCOMPLIHED ITS PURPOSE IN SELECTING EFFICIENT MEN AND WOMEN FOR PUBLIC SERVICE. Public sentiment cannot be created anywhere in the state among thinking men unfavorable to the excellent work being carried on by the civil service commission. It is the desire of the representative citizens to extend, enlarge and encourage the work of the civil service commission.

PLAN CLASS MEET

At a meeting of the executive board of the normal athletic association it was decided to hold a class meet on May 16. Besides the junior and senior class teams there will be a team from the physical course and one from the college students. This meet is being held so as to get a line on the men in order that a good team may be developed for the inter-normal meet.

A lot of unhealthy people are found around the celebrated health resorts.

Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

Old-Fashioned

I've eaten round for many years and
got along some way,
But I don't hanker much for no
huttel or swell cafe.
Of course their cookin' is all right
for these here city folk
Who never had no better, but to me
it is a joke.
The fine French names they fasten
on the grub don't cut no ice;
And then, again, it's really not a
matter of the price.
I know of something that beats all
their fancy pies and cake—
Then bakin' powder biscuits that my
mother used to make.

Of course, that's what they all say
and the subject's mighty old.
But it brings back some memories
you couldn't buy for gold.
You fellers all remember 'em. Your
mother made 'em, too;
It was a simple little trick these
high-toned chefs can't do.
I've searched the country over, but
I've searched it all in vain,
It somehow seems to strike me I'll
ne'er taste their like again.
The cookin' schools ain't graduating
pupils who kin bake
Them bakin' powder biscuits like my
mother used to make.

Team Work

"How did you manage to see everything in Rome inside of two days?"

"Well, you see, we got up early; my wife went to the shops, my daughter to the picture galleries, and I took in the restaurants. In the evening we compared notes."—Exchange.

No Elevators for Him

Cyrus (entering the sixteenth-floor office of the Syndicate building, perspiring and panting)—Them stairs must be several miles long!

Occupant of Office—Why didn't you come up in one of the elevators there?

Cyrus—Not much! I jes' see one of 'em full o' people fall down that hole there!

His Fish

Cook—The gang has the laugh on Beanbrough.

Frye—What's the idea?

Cook—When Beanbrough was in Florida he sent what he said was a postcard picture of a big fish he caught.

Frye—That so?

Cook—Yes; but you know, he is a trifle nearsighted, and the postcard he picked out bore the picture of a submarine boat.

The Dream Was All Right

Donald was troubled with indigestion, which made necessary a careful supervision of his diet. One night at dinner he asked for a second helping of dessert.

"No, Donald," said his aunt. "Don't you remember the last time you ate so much pudding how it made you dream about lions and tigers and all sorts of wild animals?"

"Well, I don't care," he whimpered, "it made me dream that I had a great big gun there, too!"—Delineator.

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Hot and Cold

"Every time I see grandfather's sword I want to go to war."

"Well?"

"But every time I notice grandfather's wooden leg I cool down."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Poor Service

"I do have the worst trouble with the phone."

"What's the cause?"

"The service, of course. Let me show you. 'Hello, exchange, hello. Why don't you answer? I want Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Julia Brown. What number? Sixty-two Tanglefoot street. Number? I just told you. O, that? You mean her telephone number? Why, it's—there, you've gone and put it all out of my head. I'll have to look in the book. Dear, dear, the book is upsteirs. Well, I never in all my life saw such service!"

Couldn't Fool Him

The farmer bought a pair of shoes in the city shop. "Now, can't I sell you a pair of shoe trees?" suggested the clerk.

"Don't get fresh with me, sonny," replied the farmer, bristling up; "I don't believe shoes kin be raised on trees any more'n I believe rubbers grow on rubber trees or oysters on the oyster plants, b'gosh."

Wanted a Chance

Little Bertha was invited out to dinner with her father and mother; before she went, however, it was firmly impressed upon her mind that she must not speak unless spoken to. All went smoothly for a while, but when some time had elapsed, and no notice was taken of her, she began to get uneasy.

Finally the hostess, seeing something was wrong, asked her what she would like next.

"I should like to have you begin to ask me questions," was the polite reply.—Lippincott's Magazine.

Cold Matter of Fact

Customer—Are these five or six wedding rings all you have in stock? Why, you've got a whole trayful of engagement rings.

Jeweler—Yes, sir, and it will take that whole trayful of engagement rings to work off those five or six wedding rings."

LAWRENCE STUDENTS PARADE.

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"An incident," she repeated.

"Could I be more?" with sudden fierceness. "Could I be more in any woman's life? I take myself for what I am, but the world will always take me for what I have done. Yes, I am Paul Ellison, forgotten, I hope, by all those who knew me. Why did you come into my life to make bitterness become despair? The blackest kind of despair Elsa Chetwood, Elsa! . . . Well, the consul is right. I am a strong man. I can go out of your life, at least physically. I can say that I love you and I can add to that good-by!"

He wheeled abruptly and went quickly down the gallery, bareheaded, without any destination in his mind, with only one thought, to leave her before he lost the last shreds of his self-control.

It was then that Elsa knew her heart. She had spoken truly. She was a pagan; for, had he turned and held out his hands, she would have gone to him, gone with him, anywhere in the world, lawfully or unlawfully.

XIX.
Two Letters.

Elsa sang. She flew to her mirror. The face was hers and yet not hers. Always her mirror had told her that she was beautiful; but up to this moment her emotion had recorded nothing stronger than placid content. Now a supreme gladness filled and tingled her because her beauty was indisputable. When Martha came to help her dress for dinner, she still sang. It was a wordless song, a melody that every human heart contains and which finds expression but once. Elsa loved.

Doubt, that arch-enemy of love and faith and hope, doubt had spread its dark pinions and flown away into yesterdays. She felt the zest and exhilaration of a bird just given its freedom. Once she slipped from Martha's cunning hands and ran out upon the gallery.

"Elsa, your waist!"

Elsa laughed and held out her bare arms to the faded sky where, but a little while since, the sun had burned a pathway down the world. All in an hour, one small trifling space of time, this wonderful, magical thing had happened. He loved her. There had been hunger for her in his voice, in his blue eyes. Presently she was going to make him feel very sorry that he had not taken her in his arms, then and there.

"Oh, beautiful world!"

"Elsa, what in mercy's name possesses you?"

"I am mad, Martha, mad as a March hare, whatever that is!" She loved.

"People will think so, if they happen to come along and see that waist. Please come instantly and let me finish hooking it. You act like you did when you were ten. You never would stand still."

"Yes, and I remember how you used to yank my pig-tails. I haven't really forgiven you yet."

"I believe it's going home that's the matter with you. Well, I for one shall be glad to leave this horrid country. Chinamen everywhere, in your room, at your table, under your feet. And in the streets, Chinamen and Malays and Hindus, and I don't know what other outlandish races and tribes. . . . Why, what's this?" cried Martha, bending to the floor.

Elsa ran back to the room. She gave a little gasp when she saw what it was that Martha was holding out for her inspection. It was Warrington's letter of credit. She had totally forgotten its existence. Across the face of the thick Manila envelope (more or less covered with numerals that had been scribbled there by Warrington in an attempt to compute the interest at six per cent) which contained the letters of credit and identification was written in a clerical hand the owner's name. Martha could not help seeing it. Elsa explained frankly what it was and how it had come into her possession. Martha was horrified.

"Elsa, they might have entered your room; and your jewels lying about everywhere! How could you be so careless?"

"But they didn't. I'll return this to Mr. Warrington in the morning; perhaps tonight, if I see him at dinner."

"He was in the next room, and we never knew it!" The final hook snapped into place. "Well, Wednesday our boat leaves;" as if this put a period to all further discussion anent Mr. Parrot & Co. Nothing very serious could happen between that time and now.

"'Wednesday night.' Elsa began to sing again, but not so joyously. The petty things of every-day life were lifting their heads once more, and of necessity she must recognize them.

She sat at the consul-general's table, informally. There was gay inconsequential chatter, an exchange of recollections and comparisons of cities and countries they had visited at separate times; but neither she nor he mentioned the chief subject of their thoughts. She refrained because of a strange yet natural shyness of a woman who has found herself; and he, because from his angle of vision it was best that Warrington should pass out of her life as suddenly and mysteriously as he had entered it. Had he spoken frankly he would have saved Elsa many a bitter heartache, many a weary day.

Warrington was absent, and so were his enemies. If there was any truth in reincarnation, Elsa was confident that in the splendid days of Rome she had beaten her pink palms in applause of the gladiators. Pagan; she was all of that; for she knew that she could have looked upon Mallow's face with more than ordinary interest. Never more would her cheeks burn at the recollection of the man's look.

She was twenty-five; she had waited longer than most women; the mistake of haste would never be hers. Nor did she close her eyes to the future. She knew exactly what the world was, and how it would act. She was not making any sacrifices. She was not one of those women, lightly balanced, who must have excitement in order to exist; she depended upon herself for her amusements. With the man she loved she would have shared a hut in the wilderness and been happy. One of the things that had drawn her to Arthur had been his quiet love of the open, his interest in flowers and forests and streams. Society, that division of classes, she had accepted, but to it she had never bowed down. How very well she could do without it! She would go with him and help him build bridges, help him to fight torrents and hurricanes, and to forget. That he had bidden her farewell was nothing. She would seek him. In her pursuit of happiness she was not going to permit false modesty to intervene.

(To be Continued.)

The Home Beauty Parlor,
by Betty Dean

Vera B.: Yor skin will grow soft, clear and smooth after a few applications of a plain almozoin jelly-cream, made at home as follows: Put 4 tablespoonfuls glycerine into ½ pint water and in this dissolve 1 ounce almozoin (which you can buy at your druggist's). Apply a thick coat of this to the skin before retiring, then wash off in the morning and use more of the jelly-cream for massaging. This gradually dispels the wrinkles and lines and banishes pimples, blackheads and the "muddy," oily look. The almozoin jelly-cream is greaseless and will not grow hair.

Mrs. A. T.: You may not require glasses. Get from your druggist 1 ounce crystos and dissolve in 1 pint water. Then put a few drops in the offending eye several times a day until inflammation and soreness have vanished. This crystos eye-tonic is especially good for granulated eyelids and using it strengthens the eyes and gives them a youthful sparkle.

Adeline: The reason for that dryness of hair after your shampoo is because that kind of soap irritates the scalp's tissues and makes them over-sensitive. Canthrox will correct this, for it it a tonic as well as cleanser and is so stimulating to the blood-vessels and scalp-tissues that the danger is entirely eliminated. To prepare your shampoo, dissolve a teaspoonful of canthrox in a cup of hot water, then pour it slowly on the head as you rub briskly. This dissolves every trace of dust, dandruff and excess oil, and after rinsing, the hair will dry quickly and evenly.

Lucy G.: Loss of weight is a serious matter and calls for prompt action. Get from your druggist 1 ounce kardene and put it, together with ½ cupful sugar, into ½ pint alcohol, then add hot water to make a full quart. Take a tablespoonful before each meal. This simple, home remedy increases your appetite and gently cleanses the system of impurities, restores a healthy condition to the vital organs. When this is done your weight will be normal and the glow of health will be upon your cheeks.

Mrs. A. R. J.: I make a good lotion that is very helpful to my skin by dissolving 4 ounces spurmax in ½ pint witch hazel or hot water, to which is added 2 teaspoonfuls glycerine, which will soon correct that oily, sallow, "wornout" appearance of your complexion. This simple lotion is soothing and healing and imparts a velvety smoothness and natural loveliness to the complexion not possible with powder and rouge. You will like the spurmax lotion because it is easily applied and cannot be detected when on.

Lucile: I always use a plain quinzoin hair tonic, made at home by pouring 1 ounce quinzoin into ½ pint alcohol, then adding ½ pint water. Rub a little well into the scalp twice a week and you will soon rid the scalp of dandruff and restore the hair roots to health. The regular use of the quinzoin tonic will restore the former gloss and even color to the hair and make it soft, long and fluffy.

Mrs. M. N. T.: Your excess weight can be easily and quickly reduced by taking this parnotis treatment, made at home, as follows: Put 4 ounces parnotis (which you can get at your drug store), in 1½ pints hot water and strain when cool. Take a tablespoonful before meals until weight is where you want it. No harm results from the use of the parnotis treatment, and the flesh is left solid and the skin soft and smooth.

Betty Dean's Beauty Book, $5.—(Adv.)

KENOSHA MEN WITH FLEET

KENOSHA, Wis., April 23.—Four Kenosha young men are with the fleet now at Vera Cruz, the list including Fred Palmgreen, JJr., a gunner's mate of the New Jersey; Tony Paccinni, a gunner on the flagship Arkansas; Richard Rehm, on the Michigan, and William Knietberger, on the New Jersey. All have been in the navy for several years.

Are Your Hands Tied?



by a chronic disease common to womankind? You feel dull—headachey? Backache, pains here and there—dizziness or perhaps hot flashes? There's nothing you can accomplish—nothing you can enjoy! There's no good reason for it—because you can find permanent relief in

DR. PIERCE'S Favorite Prescription

Mrs. Fannie H. Brent, of Bryant, Nelson Co., Va., writes: "I believe I had every pain and ache a woman could have, my back was weak, and I suffered with nervousness and could not sleep at night. Suffered with soreness in my right hip, and every month would have spells and have to stay in bed. I have taken eight bottles of your 'Favorite Prescription' and one vial of your 'Pleasant Pellets'. Can now do my work for six in family, and feel like a new woman. I think it is the best medicine in the world for women. I recommend it to all my friends and many of them have been greatly benefited by it.

Dr. PIERCE'S PLEASANT PELLETS Relieve Liver Ills!

"S'MATTER, POP?" By C. N. PAYNE

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FORTY HOURS SILENCE OF AMERICAN DIPLOMAT WORRIES WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Every hour's additional delay in hearing from Charge O'Shaughnessy at Mexico City added to the apprehension of the administration yesterday that something serious had developed in Huerta's capital.

Surrounded by rumors of the assassination of Mr. O'Shaughnessy in Mexico City, and reports that he has been handed his passports by Dictator Huerta, officials of the state department were worried yesterday over the diplomat's long silence. No word has been received from him since day before yesterday, when he transmitted the last of Huerta's reply to Wilson's ultimatum, refusing to accede to the demands of the United States.

Bryan Acknowledges Error

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Secretary Bryan was quoted today as saying that marines had been landed at Tampico, but later said he meant to refer to Vera Cruz. He has consistently, in talking today to newspapermen, used the word "Tampico' instead of "Vera Cruz," he said. This mistake has led to misunderstandings.

Secretary Bryan admitted that he had no word from the charge, but he said that if Huerta had handed his passports to the diplomat, it was certain that the dictator would have allowed O'Shaughnessy to wire his government to that effect.

For forty hours not a single direct word has come from the American charge. The government here is utterly without information of what is transpiring behind the scenes in Mexico City, or of the fate of Americans there. Frantic but futile efforts have been made to get into communication.

It is not known whether the cable lines have been cut to prevent word of anti-American demonstrations being sent out, or whether the Mexican government, as a final crowning insult to the United States,has merely refused to permit O'Shaughnessy to transmit any word to his chiefs here.

The apprehension of the state department force has extended throughout the entire administration circles. Army officers are bitterly lamenting the delay—completely unexplained—which keeps them impotent, ready for action, but leashed.

The state department late this afternoon was in touch with other embassies here, endeavoring to learn whether they had any word of events in the Mexican capital that would throw light on whether our people there are safe.

In addition to the apprehension over the fate of Americans, the question of what is to be done in dealing with shipments of arms to the constitutionalists in northern Mexico is a momentous source of trouble at the present time. The border patrol in Texas has notified the war department that a number of unusually large shipments are enroute, consigned through El Paso to Juarez.

Menace to U S.

The army and navy council of defense has made it very plain to high officials that these shipments of arms may prove a terrible menace to the American cause. They have recommended to Secretary Bryan that the president revoke his orderissued some weeks ago raising the embargo on arms and put back into effect the prohibition of any shipments into Mexico. Secretary Bryan and his legal advisers have been examining the law and procedure generally, but so far no decision has been arrived at as to a course of action.

It was reported that one shipment had already been seized. This report for obvious reasons will not be discussed by army officials.

May Force Issue

Secretary Bryan has been given to understand that if the embargo is again placed on arms the constitutionalists may be expected to accept such action as a moral affront and immediately make close and common cause with Huerta. On the other hand, the army and navy officials responsible for our success in war have flatly warned the state department that if these munitions cross the border a great part will find their way into hands of men armed to oppose the American forces.

CHARGE ALGARA REPRESENTING HUERTA WILL DEMAND HIS PASSPORTS FROM THE U. S. BEFORE MIDNIGHT THURSDAY

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Uness he is anticipated by the United States government, and its acts, Senor Algara, the Mexican charge here, will ask for his passports sometime between now and midnight Thursday night, unless in the meantime the present difficulty with Mexico has been amicably adjusted. This was learned by the United Press from a high diplomatic official source this afternoon.

It was stated that Algara had communicated his intention to two of the foreign embassies here. He explained that he had been given discretionary order by General Huerta and that he was now convinced after an examination of precedents, that the only thing left for him to do will be to demand his passports and return to Mexico. While this will not necessarily mean a declaration of war, it will mean a complete cessation of diplomatic intercourse between the administration and Huerta and will force this government to direct O'Shaughnessy to close the United States embassy in Mexico City and come home.

When told that this information had been secured from a local embassy, Senor Algara refused positively to comment on it.

TOM MORRIS' SON RECRUITS EIVE MEN FOR GUARD COMPANY

Howard Morris, 18-year-old son of Lieut.-Governor Thomas Morris, is a young local patriot who has been enthused over the prospect of actual fighting in Mexico and the chances of the local militia to see a part of that fighting.

When President Wilson ordered the fleet to Tampico, Young Morris, knowing that Company M, of which he is a member, did not boast its full fighting strength, started out for recruits. He got them. Captain Fowler is authority for the statement that he was instrumental in securing five new men for the guard.

Young Mr. Morris is reticent on the affair, declining to take the credit for securing the new national guardsmen and claiming that "I just talked to them—they probably would have joined anyway."

HOLD UP ARMS FOR CARRANZA ARMY

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Advices were received in this city this afternoon that a large shipment of arms consigned to the constitutionalists has been held up by the border patrol. The war department will ask the department of justice whether these munitions are to be permitted to cross the border for possible use against American forces later.

Officials positively refused to give any details whatever at this time.

FORCE MEXICANS T OSALUTE FLAG

TOPEKA, Kan., April 23.—Infused with the war spirit, 500 high school and grade school students deserted their school rooms and marched through the main streets. The compelled a band of railroad laborers to salute the flag.

FORTIFY ON BORDER

CALEXICO, Cal., April 23.—Mexican regulars at Mexicali, Mexico, across the border from here, worked feverishly last night and today, throwing p earthworks within a few feet of the international border. It is estimated that 300 well armed troops comprise the Mexican garrison. Three hundred Calexico citizens today offered their services to the commander of the First cavalry stationed here.

LOCAL COMPANIES VOTE TO SERVE IF WAR CALL COMES

Not a Negative Vote Cast in Either Company M or B in Tribune's Poll

HAVE THE RIGHT TO DECLINE

Must Vote by Companies on Question of Leaving United States Soil

BOTH CAPTAINS ARE POSITIVE

Declare that Could All Have Been Reached the Vote Would Have Been Unanimous

A poll of Company M of this city today disclosed the fact that if called upon the company will vote to join the forces of the United States for the invasion of Mexico.

A poll covering less than a majority of Company B indicates that this company also will vote to serve, and Captain John M. Bradley assures The Tribune that they will go "to a man."

The United States has no legal power to compel the militia companies to leave the territory of the United States, and the law provides that the companies may determine the matter by a vote in which the majority shall rule. In case a majority of a company votes to accept the call, the other members are legally bound by the vote, and must go.

Tribune Polls Them

Early this morning The Tribune began a poll of the companies. Of the sixty-five men in Company M, forty-four were reached, and every man answered that he would vote to bo. As forty-four is a majority of the company, the vote puts it on record as ready to serve.

The canvass om Company B is incomplete, less than a majority having been reached. But of the fourteen interviewed, every man promptly and emphatically declared he would vote to go, and Capt. John M. Bradley says he will vouch that every man in his company will respond in the affirmative.

Capt. F. H. Fowler of Company M says he is certain that not a man of those not reached will oppose entering the service in Mexico, and there is every indication that the vote of both companies will be unanimously in favor of serving in Mexico, if need be.

Those Who Voted

Following is a list of the members of the local companies who voted in favor of accepting service in Mexico:

COMPANY M

Frank W. Griffee, 813 Badger; Ernest Hodous, 1216 West avenue south; Alfred F. Holtz, Onalaska; John A. Hartung, 930 Adams; Fred E. Johnson, 514 South Eleventh; Raymond B. Lovold, 1018 South Ninth; George E. Mason, 1002 South Second; Edward H. Morris, 1309 main; Cecil Smith, 1619 Jackson; Erwin Sheldon, 624 South Third; F. H. Fowler, 930 South Ninth; G. H. Hale, 922 Cameron; William Ruplin, 514 North Eleventh; D. M. Erickson, 827 South Fourth; C. W. Thompson, 901 South Sixth; W. J. Torrance, 1304 South Sixteenth; Ludwig Moe, 1519 Winnebago; Earl G. Sloan, 608 North Ninth; Alfred A. Nesham, 517 Pine; Arthur D. Carr, 1337 Kane; L. W. Miller, 508 South Tenth; R. F. H. Schultz, 234 South Third; Frank J. Bettin, 1701 Badger; Fred B. Bailey, 1116 South Sixth; Ambrose Coughlin, 1539 Wood; Carrol C. Coulan, 703 Pine; Harry Drake, 1518 Market; Charles C. Deroucher, 803 La Crosse; Robert E. Drager, 220 Cass; Hugo J. Enders, 717 Mississippi; W. A. Sorensen, Sixth and Main; Edward W. Skailand, 1608 South Seventh; Arthur W. Scharpf, R. F. D. No. 2; George A. Haberman. 516 Cass; Orville B. Woll, 1432 Charles; Marcus C. Byers, 1348 Kane; Robert N. Johnson, 705 South Second; Thomas Doyle, 621 State; George Biertel, 336 South Fifth street; Theodore C. Garder, 424 Oakland; Karlton A. Hmleven, 508 King; Louis Johnson, 1725 Mississippi;

COMPANY B

John M. Bradley, 328 Mississippi; George Roellig, 1501 Badger; Herman Rupp, 1608 Farwell; Otto Prochnow, 1506 Badger; Thomas Sholes, 1607 State; Percy Robare, 407 North Seventeenth; Charles Robare, 507 North Seventeenth; Walter Shuda, 409 North Sixteenth; Frank J. Netwal, 1510 La Crosse; Leonard Strech,614 North Fifteenth; Emil O. Schultz, 913 South Second; William Buchda, 1107 La Crosse; Benjamin Sewoski, 2151 Market; S. W. Jehlen, 1225 Farnum.

HUERTA PLAYS BILLIARDS

CHICAGO, April 23.—Victoriano Huerta plays billiards—between battles—on a Chicago made table.

Huerta's order on the Mexican treasury for $1,000 was received in payment for his billiard room equipment by a local firm.

"He plays several games every night," says a letter from the Mexico City agent.

HUERTA DEAD OR ALIVE TEXT OF ORDERS TO ARMY

If Military Is Called Into Action It Will March Straight for Mexico City

BLOODY MARCH TO THE CAPITAL

Progress of Relieving Column to Mexican Chief Town Will Be Most Difficult in History

BY JOHN E. NEVIN
(Staff correspondent of the United Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Huerta dead or alive!

That will be the order issued to the army should eventualities in Mexico force the president to use that branch of the service in the present Mexican crisis.

There is no doubt of that in the minds of officials here. The army general staff admits this. They expect that orders must come before very long despite the hope of the president and his advisers that after Vera Cruz is pacified Huerta will agree to make amends for past insults.

A member of the general staff, discussing with the United Press the failure to move the army up to the present, said:

"We are basing our non-action on three premises:

"First, that there will be no massacres of foreigners in Mexico City.

"Second, that Huerta will formally declare war against this country in accordance with international usage before taking the field.

"Third, that the constitutionalists will not join him.

"Of course, should word come before the army moves that there has been assassination in Mexico City, the marines and bluejackets now at Vera Cruz must necessarily form a relieving column and make a forced advance on the capital, and that will be the bloodiest march in American history, I fear. General Scott had to divide his forces at Pueblo because of the mountains beyond there in whose passes a small force can wipe out a much greater one trying to advance.

"If the army moves it has been given thoroughly to understand that its object will be to get Huerta, alive or dead."

VETERANS PLEDGE WILSON SUPPORT

Spanish War Boys at Meeting Last Night Pass Resolution Endorsing the President

CIVIL WAR VETERANS APPROVE

Message to Executive Carries with It Names of the Members of Local Camps of G. A. R.

Pledging endorsement to President Wilson in his actions and in any future course he may take in Mexico, eighty Spanish war veterans met last night and unanimously passed a resolution of support which was immediately wired to the president. The endorsement carries with it the endorsement of the local Grand Army men, the civil war veterans being honorary members of Casberg camp, No. 11, S. U. S. W. V.

The resolution adopted follows:

"Assembled on the 16th anniversary of the first call for volunteers in the war with Spain, Casberg camp, No. 11, U. S. W. V., including as honorary members, the two local posts of the Grand Army of the Republic, Wilson-Colwell post, No. 38, and John Flynn post, No. 77, pledge our unanimous endorsement and support to the president of the United States in all measures which may be taken for the protection of American citizens and the restoration of peace and order in Mexico.

"F. W. LEAHY,
"GEO. R. LONGBRAKE,
"A. H. ENGLEHARD,
"Committee on Resolutions."

TO FORM COMPANY ON NORTH SIDE

It is rumored that a company will be organized on the north side in case a call comes from the president for volunteers. No definite plans have been made for the move, but it is understood that in case of an emergency, James McConnell and other Spanish War veterans and several men who have served in the regular army and the militia, will organize a company, preference to be given to single men in recruiting.

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Money Refunded if it fails.
FOR SALE AND GUARANTEED BY
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310 MAIN STREET

Dead and Wounded In Vera Cruz Fight

WASHINGTON, April 23.—A revised list of the casualties in the first battle of Vera Cruz, announced by the navy department today shows four dead, six seriously wounded and nine wounded. The list follows:

Marine corps, dead:

Private Daniel Aloysius Haggerty, 8th company, Second A. B. regiment, re-enlisted January 7, 1911, at Boston, Mass. Next to kin, father, Michael Haggerty, 16 Harding street, Cambridge, Mass.

Private Samuel Marten, 16th company, Second A. B. regiment, enlisted June 23, 1913, at Chicago, Ill. Next to kin, father, Mayer Marten, 1817 Taylor street, Chicago.

Seriously wounded:

Private George Draine, 17th company, Second A. B. regiment, enlisted February 3, 1913, at Chicago, Ill. Next to kin, mother, Estelle Draine, 2312 Union street, St. Joseph, Mo.

Private Edward P. Peterson, 16th company, Second A. B. regiment, enlisted July 31, 1913, at Cleveland, Ohio. Next to kin, father, Walter Peterson, 61 Cedar street, Malone, N. Y.

Wounded:

Private George Maurice Davidson, 16th company, Second A. B. Regiment, enlisted April 16, 1911, at Chicago, Ill. Next to kin, mother, Martha M. Davidson, Oskaloosa, Ia.

Private John McMillan, 16th company, Second A. B. regiment, enlisted March 11, 1913, at Chicago, Ill. Next to kin, mother, Frances McMillan, Mayfield, Manitoba, Canada.

Private Richard Shaker, 17th company, Second A. B. regiment, enlisted June 21, 1913, at New York city, N. Y. Next to kin, mother, Fredericka Shaker, 45 South Bridge street, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Private Harry J. Reed, 16th company, Second A. B. regiment. Enlisted August 2, 1913, at Cincinnati, Ohio. Next of kin, mother, Irene Reed, 418 South LaSalle street, Chicago.

Sailors dead:

George Poinsett, seaman, born April 10, 1894; home address 5321 North 12th street, Philadelphia, Pa. Next of kin, Wm. Poinusett, father, same address. Seaman Poinsett enlisted at Philadelphia June 26, 1911, and was assigned to the Florida.

John F. Schuumacher, coxswain, born Dec. 5, 1889; home address 161 Harmon street, Brooklyn, N. Y. Next of kin, mother, Isabella McKinnon; same address. Coxswain Schumacher enlisted November, 1907, at New York and was re-enlisted November 5, 1910. He recently was transferred from the Wheeling to the Florida.

Seriously wounded:

Clarence Rex Harshbarger, seaman, born March 31, 1892; home address 160 Center street, Waverly, N. Y. Next of kin, C. O. Harshbarger, father, 160 Center street, Waverly, N. Y. Enlisted January 21, 1911, at Waverly, N. Y. Harshbargar was attached to the U. S. S. Utah.

Joseph Louis Kwapich, seaman, born March 6, 1893; home address 21 Sopieski street, Rochester, N. Y. Next of kin, John Kwapich, father, same address. Enlisted April 26, 1911, at Rochester, N. Y. Was attached to U. S. S. Utah.

Henry N. Erickson, boatswain's mate, second class, born Dec. 22, 1888; home address 127 Twelfth street, Wheeling, W. Va. Next of kin, Augusta Nickerson, mother, same address. Enlisted March 1907 and re-enlisted April 19, 1911, at Cleveland, O. Was attached to the U. S. S. Utah.

Edward A. Gisburn, electrician, third class, born June 14, 1892; home address 54 Summer street, Quincy, Mass. Next of kin, John R. Gisburn, grandfather, 1932 Seventeenth street, Washington. Enlisted August 30, 1910, at Boston, Mass. Was attached to the Florida.

Wounded:

William H. Mangels, seaman, born Nov. 17, 1894; home address 18 Main street, Yonkers, N. Y. Next of kin, John Cotters, guardian, 18 Main street, Yonkers, N. Y. Enlisted Sept. 17, 1912, at New York. Attached to the Utah.

Frederick Nanz, ordinary seaman, born July 4, 1895. Home adress 463 Mimrod street, Brooklyn, N. Y. Next of kin, Marie Nanz, mother, same address. Enlisted March 19, 1913, at New York. Attached to the Utah.

Nathan Schwartz, ordinary season, born April 22, 1893; home address 225 East Fourth street, New York City. Next of kin, Harry Schwartz, brother, same address. Enlisted Sept. 21, 1912, at New York. Attached to the Florida.

James H. Horance Copeland, seaman, born July 13, 1892. Home address Monterey, Tenn. Next of kin, J. M. Copeland, father, Monterey, Tenn. Enlisted Jan. 17, 1911 at Chattanooga, Tenn. Attached to the Utah.

The department has communicated with the next of kin in each case In the cases of the men seriously wounded and wounded the next of kin has also been informed that they will be advised of any new developments.

JACKIES GO EAST

CHICAGO, April 23.—With drums beating and flags flying, 187 jackies from the naval training station at Lake Bluff left for the east this afternoon. Of the party 75 will go to New York and 112 to Philadelphia to be assigned to ships most in need of their services.

STUDENTS OFFER SERVICES

CHICAGO, April 23.—A delegation of University of Chicago students this afternoon visited the army recruiting office and offered the services of 150 maroon students, if enlistment of volunteers is authorized.

HALF HUNDRED REPORTED DEAD IN THE FIGHT

Two-thirds of the Known Dead Are of Families of the Striking Miners

MANY BURN TO DEATH IN TENTS

Rifle Shelter Pit Under Tent Gives Up Bodies of 13 Children and 2 Women

DENVER, Col., April 23.—It was announced at the governor's office today that five coal mine guards had been killed by the strikers at the Delagua mine of the Victor-American Fuel company, Delagua, Colorado. The killing is supposed to be an outgrowth of the fourteen hour battle fought at Ludlow Monday.

DENVER, Col., April 23.—All Colorado shuddered with horror today as the details of the fourteen hour battle fought at Ludlow Monday were revealed in newspaper dispatches from Trinidad and official reports to Acting Governor Fitzgerald from militiamen in the field.

Thirty-three known dead, more than two-thirds of whom are women and children, a score missing and more than a score wounded—this is the toll taken by the battle which the United Mine Workers and other labor organizations have already named "The Slaughter of the Innocents."

To Fight Again

With arms ready, both sides at daylight today awaited a resumption of the blood-letting and fears were expressed that should it be renewed the slaughter will equal if not exceed that of Monday. Several companies of militia, recruited from mine guards employed by the coal operators, are encamped at Ludlow. Monday they drove the strikers from their tent colony at Ludlow and it is charged, set fire to the tents, thereby causing the greatest loss of life. Early today, Trinidad dispatches say, they were prepared for a machine gun sortie from their position along the Colorado and Southern railroad tracks at each side of the Ludlow railroad station. On the surrounding hills, sheltered by rocks and boulders, 400 strikers awaited their coming, while their ranks were being swelled by grim faced men who had tramped overland in the darkness, carrying guns and ammunition from neighboring union camps. Italian, Greek and Austrian miners have appealed to their consular representatives for protection.

If another battle is fought its outcome may determine the fate of the strike of union coal miners in Colorado. Both sides face it as a battle to the death, without thought of quarter.

Strikers Demand Arms

In Trinidad the situation is scarcely less acute. Strikers crowded about the union headquarters, and, with the image of the flaming tents of Ludlow before their eyes, demanded guns and cried for an opportunity to attack the mine guards and militia.

Ludlow camp is a mass of charred debris. In the holes which had been dug under the tents for their protection against rifle and machine gun fire, women and children perished when the flames swept over their colony. One pit, uncovered late yesterday, disclosed the bodies of thirteen children and two women.

FOREIGNERS IN VERA CRUZ ARE NOT IN DANGER

U. S. Troops Afford Ample Protection to Americans and Others in Captured City

VERA CRUZ, April 23.—Foreigners and Americans in Vera Cruz have escaped without harm during the fighting here. American troops held back when pursuit of the fleeing Mexicans would have brought the fighting zone into the hotel district where non-combatants are quartered. None has been reported molested.

Anti-American Riots at Puerto

GALVESTON, Texas, April 23.—A radio message received this morning from Dr. George R. Taber, United States public health officer at Puerto, Mexico, advised of anti-American riots at that port with destruction of British and Aherican property. He has taken refuge on board the steamship Dakotian.

Japan is Neutral

TOKIO, April 23.—The Japanese government will remain strictly neutral, insofar as the war between the United States and Mexico is concerned. This was announced by government officials here today. A Japanese warship is now on the Pacific coast of Mexico and will stand ready to take Japanese citizens aboard.

DENY BRYAN RESIGNS

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Secretary Tumulty at the White house this afternoon officially denied a report ed circulated today that Secretary to President Wilson as the result of the bloodshed at Vera Cruz. Tumulty said the story was absolutely without foundation.

FEAR THE REBELS WILL JOIN HUERTA AGAINST THE U. S.

No Definite Information but Constitutionalist Junta Admits Situation Is Grave

CARRANZA IS WITH DICTATOR

Head of Rebel Government Has Expressed Belief All Should Unite Against U. S.

VILLA HURRIES TO JUAREZ TODAY

Commander in Chief of Carranza's Forces Expected with Heavy Guard Today

WASHINGTON, April 23.—No word has come to officials regarding what they can expect from Carranza and the constitutionalists. There is a general belief that they will oppose the United States.

At the constitutionalist junta here it is admitted that the situation is grave.

Carranza is reported to have expressed the belief that Mexicans should unite against a common enemy. Villa is rushing toward Juarez. As a result stringent orders have been issued to the border patrol to redouble its vigilance.

Regimental, battalion and troop commanders have been ordered to hold their men in check and to enforce the strictest discipline. Nothing is to be done that might tend to inflame the Mexicans or to show that the administration has changed its belief that the "great mass of the Mexican people are our friends."

The view that the rebels will aid Huerta is apparently negatived by the following dispatch from El Paso:

"EL PASO, Texas, April 22.—General Francisco Villa, supreme commander of the Mexican constitutionalist army in the field is expected to arrive in Juarez today with a strong escort of troops. It was announced that he came to visit his family but it is believed that the real reason is that General Carranza desired Villa to direct affairs in Juarez during the present crisis and to prevent the Juarez constitutionalist garrison doing anything that would involve the rebels with the United States."

JUST OUT OF NAVY READY TO RE-ENTER

Wenzel Hanus Who Served on Ships and in Marine Corps Says He's Ready to Respond

WHIPPING MEXICO TEDIOUS TASK

Says It Will Not Be Accomplished in Few Days as Most People Think; Climatic Conditions Bad

Four years' service as an American marine and just out of the navy after serving a four year enlistment, Wenzel Hanus, 1110 Market street, son of Ambrose Hanus, today announced that he was ready and willing to re-enlist any time it became apparent his services would be of value to the United States.

Mr. Hanus, when in the marine corps, rounded the horn with the American fleet when it circled the globe and remained in the service until 1910. Then, after a brief vacation, he re-entered the service of his country as a machinist in the navy and served until March of this year. Most of Mr. Hanus' most recent service has been in South America.

"I've served eight years," said Mr. Hanus today, "and am ready to enlist any time my services are needed. I am undecided whether to reenter the navy or join the army. I believe I shall enter the navy, however. If I do I shall request assignment to a battleship."

Mr. Hanus, who in 1908, visited various Mexican ports, believes the United States will have tedious work in the event of a real war with Mexico. Climatic conditions will be an obstacle of no mean proportions.

"They'll have to chase the Mexicans around, picking them one at a time,' he said. "While there is no doubt of the outcome it will take much longer time than most people believe."

STATE BANKERS TO DISCUSS RESERVE

E. M. Wing, vice president of the Batavian National bank, and other Wisconsin bankers, will meet in St. Paul Friday, there to formulate plans for the federal reserve bank recently located at Minneapolis by the federal reserve board.

The session will be in the morning. In the evening they will be banqueted and listen to an address by George W. Reynolds, Chicago.

Other bankers to attend the meet are F. J. Carr, Hudson; F. W. Humphrey, Shawano; E. J. Perry, Fond du Lac; Carl Rudquist, Ashland; J. W. Dennigan, Stevens Point.

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SPOTLIGHTS

"DAMAGED GOODS"

"Damaged Goods," Eugene Brieux's great sociological drama which Richard Bennett and his original New York company of co-workers will present in the La Crosse Theater for one night, Monday, April 27th, has the distinction of being the only theatrical entertainment ever presented in the National capital on the Sabbath day. This event took place last April, when under the auspices of the Society for Social Hygiene of the District of Columbia, Richard Bennett brought his company to Washington from New York City in order that members of congress and other officials in national life might see the play and pass judgment upon its fitness for presentation before the general public.

More than four thousand applications for seats were received for this single performance, whereas the capacity of the theater was limited to seventeen hundred.

If one excepts the marvelous Passion Play, presented at Oberammergau every ten years, this Washington performance of "Damaged Goods" was the most impressive production, from a religious standpoint, ever made. The Rev. Dr. Donald C. MacLeod opened the performance by reading the preface of the play from the stage and he was followed by the Rev. Dr. Earle Wilfley, who delivered an impassioned prayer asking for a divine blessing.

In the audience were the most distinguished senators and representatives in Congress and their wives, many diplomats of renown and more than fifty leading clergymen of all denominations. President Wilson's cabinet was represented by Postmaster-General Burleson and Secretary of Labor Wilson and his daughter.

How American Women May Keep Faces Young

"The American smart woman ages early, far earlier than the English woman," says Christian Miller, F. C. I., the famous English health expert. She adds that our climate "so exhilarates that you over exert yourselves and grow old before you know it. That same exhilarating air dries the skin. The skin that lacks moisture grows pale and withered looking and soon forms wrinkles.

"The American complexion" is best treated by applying pure mercolized wax, which caused the faded, lifeless cuticle to flake off in minute particles, a little each day, until the fresh, young skin beneath is wholly in evidence. Every druggist has this wax; one ounce is sufficient. Spread on at night like cold cream, washing it off next morning.

For wrinkles, dissolve an ounce of powdered saxolite in a half pint witch hazel; bathe the face in this. Immediately every wrinkle is affected, even the deeper lines. Both treatments are remarkable facical rejuvenators.

PEDESTRIAN STOPS TO SELL TRIBUNE

"Scotty' the 'Frisco newsboy, who has undertaken to walk from San Francisco to New York in 230 days, stopped over in La Crosse long enough to sell The Tribune on the streets here yesterday. Scotty, whose real name is Finklestein, maintains he is a son of the bonny highlands. He has now been on the trip 78 days but still has to visit several Canadian cities on the trip. Incidentally Scotty is carrying letters from the mayor of San Francisco to various cities in both the United States and Canada, boosting the 1915 exposition.

Medicine and Mortgages.

Certainly no patient could receive a dose of medicine like that prescribed to Brown and have the patience to take it. Yet Brown's doctor was a land speculator. When not making out prescriptions he was making out mortgages. It was when in a dual state of mind that he gave Brown the following instructions along with the prescription:

"One half down and the balance every six months for four years."—New York Tribune.

Tempering the Wind.

Fallon (who has bought a small farm)—Tell me the truth, Mr. Carney, is the soil rich or poor? Expert Gardener—Well, sor, I should say it wor wanst rich, but it's now in raydooced circumstances.—Puck.

While the longest day is supposed to come in June, we will contend it is Saturday in a barber shop.

CO-EDS WOULD NURSE

URBANA-CHAMPAIGN, Ill., April 23.—Co-eds of the University of Illinois, in a mass meeting here today adopted a resolution declaring their willingness to aid the government in a Mexican war by enlisting as nurses or raising subscriptions. Forty male students declared themselves ready to enlist on a moment's notice.

How to Save Your Eyes

Try this Free Prescription

Do your eyes give you trouble? Do you already wear eyeglasses or spectacles? Thousands of people wear these 'windows" who might easily dispense with them. You may be one of these, and it is your duty to save your eyes before it is too late. The eyes are neglected more than any other organ of the entire body. After you finish your day's work you sit down and rest your muscles, but how about your eyes? Do you rest them? You know you do not. You read or do something else that keeps your eyes busy; you work your eyes until you go to bed. That is why so many have strained eyes and finally other eye troubles that threaten partial or total blindness. Eyeglasses are merely crutches; they never cure. This free prescription, which has benefited the eyes of so many, may work equal wonders for you. Use it a short time. Would you like your eye troubles to disappear as if by magic? Try this prescription. Go to the nearest wideawake drug store and get a bottle of Optona tablets; fill a two-ounce bottle with warm water, drop in one tablet and allow it to thoroughly dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. Just note how quickly your eyes clear up and how soon the inflammation will disappear. Don't be afraid to use it; it is absolutely harmless. Many who are now blind might have saved their eyes had they started to care for them in time. This is a simple treatment, but marvelously effective in multitudes of cases. Now that you have been warned don't delay a day, but do what you can to save your eyes and you are likely to thank us as long as you live for publishing this prescription.

ENGLISH CAPITAL SAVES U. S. ROADS

Supply $15,000,000 to Lift Receivership and Extend the K. C. M. & O.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 23.—The long expected reorganization of the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient railroad probably will be effected within the next few days. It is predicted that the receivers who have conducted the road for more than two years will be discharged and the road built from Wichita, its present terminus, to Kansas City.

Lord Monson, chairman of the English organization committee, and P. D. Tuckett, president of the Electric Light system of London, and also interested in the re-financing plans, will arrive in Kansas City today. Their purpose presumably is to appear before Judge Pollock of the Federal court to assure him that the fifteen million dollars necessary to lift the receivership have been subscribed by the English financiers who have interested themselves.

TRAMP IS SHOT BY ELROY KIDS

Barney Mack, a knight of the road, arrived here today from Elroy, Wis., with a bullet hole in his left leg and a pitiful tale of want.

Mack says he was sitting near a railroad track at Elroy yesterday when he suddenly felt a sharp pain in the calf of his leg. Investigating he found blood flowing from a bullet wound and a bunch of children carrying twenty-two caliber rifles scampering off in the distance.

A doctor later dressed the wound and extracted the bullet. Then the good citizens of Elroy purchased a ticket for Mack and forwarded him to Poor Commissioner Sol Burdick for further care. Burdick is still undecided as to where he will consign the human cargo.

Bayonet Fencers.

Fencing with bayonets is the most popular as well as the most dangerous game among soldiers in the regular army. Those who participate must be strong and skillful, and the game is not one for weaklings. The regulation outfit is a mask, heavily padded coat and padded gloves. The bayonets are tipped with rubber, but despite these precautions men are often hurt in the set-to. Each regiment has its champions, selected by a process of elimination from the various companies. When these champions meet on one of the field days often held at brigade posts the rivalry is intense.—Popular Mechanics.

Willie's Comeback.

The teacher was telling the children a long, highly embellished story about Santa Claus and Willie Jones began giggling with mirth, which finally got beyond his control.

"Willie! What did I whip you for yesterday?" asked the teacher severely.

"Fer lyin'!" promptly answered Willie.—Everybody's.

A "MOTOR CYCLE MIKE" IS MILLER

Company M Corporal May Become Only Motorcycle Expert in Wisconsin Regiments

APPEALS TO WAR DEPARTMENT

Captain Fowler Asks General Holway to Secure Special Permit for La Crosse Man

Should Adjutant General Orlando Holway accede to the request of Captain F. H. Fowler, La Crosse, Company M will have the only "Motorcycle Mike" of the Wisconsin National guard.

Corporal Albert Miller, Company M, is the owner of a powerful four cylinder motorcycle. He is an expert rider. has traveled the prairies of the west with it and has sought permission to take it to Mexico.

Captain Fowler has written to General Holway at Madison requesting that, if the regulations permit, Miller be allowed to take his machine. In the event the regulations are against this General Holway has been asked to request of the war department special permission.

Captain Fowler points out that the machine would be of immense value to the regiment. It has been demonstrated at Camp Douglas, during the regimental encampments, that they far surpass the horse for messenger service.

Miller's machine, complete with clutch, brakes and electric lighting device, is equipped with a rear carrier in which it would be possible for him to carry his tent and blanket rolls and all necessary paraphernalia. In the event he is permitted to use the cycle he will undoubtedly be equipped with side arms, instead of the rifle and these would be carried in holsters fitted on the frame of the machine.

MEXICAN "STUDES" READY TO FIGHT

MADISON, Wis., April 23—"If we go, we'll fight; if we stay here we'll finish our education."

In these few characteristic words F. de la Fuenta, a Mexican student at the University of Wisconsin, summed up the philosophical attitude of the half dozen natives of Mexico who are attending classes at the state institution of learning.

The men are prepared to leave for Mexico to help defend their country at a moment's notice, however.

The Disguised Course.

An army examiner once had a candidate before him who apparently was unable to answer the simplest question. At last the examiner lost his temper and, with sarcastic emphasis lost on the youth before him, said:

"Suppose, sir, that you were a captain in command of a company of infantry; that in your rear was an impassable abyss; that on either side of you towered perpendicular rocks of untraversable height; that before you stood the enemy, a hundred men to each one of yours. What, sir, would you do in this emergency?"

"Sir," said the aspirant to military honors, "I should resign."—Pearson's Weekly.

Champ says it doesn't require much sense to be a president. The Baltimore convention, then, went to a lot of unnecessary trouble in making a choice.

TAKE SALTS TO FLUSH KIDNEYS

Eat less meat if you feel Bachachy or Have Bladder Trouble

Meat forms uric acid which excites and overworks the kidneys in their efforts to filter it from the system. Regular eaters of meat must flush the kidneys occasionally. You must relieve them like you relieve your bowels; removing all the acids, waste and poison, else you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sours, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment; the channels often get irritated, obliging you to get up two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids and flush off the body's urinous waste get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine and bladder disorders disappear. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys and stop bladder irritation. Jad Salts is inexpensive; harmless and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then, thus avoiding serious kidney and bladder diseases. Agent, Chas. A. Beyschlag, Druggist, 503 Main street.

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OWEN CRITICIZES M'GOVERN'S STAND

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—"The people of the state will not be interested in the governor's disquisition on peanut politics," said Attorney General Walter C. Owen today, when asked for a statement regarding the governor's denial of a special session of the legislature for the purpose of reducing taxes next year. "They are interested in more important things—matters of more intimate concern to them, in the consideration of which they will not be frustrated by spiteful flings concerning factional politics further than to pause in amazement at the undignified spectacle presented.

"The absolute futility and impossibility of calm, judicial conference with him is perfectly manifest from the intemperate and undignified language of his so-called reply."

LA CROSSE GIVEN TEACHERS' MEET

La Crosse has been awarded the nexa convention of the Wisconsin Music Teachers' association at the closing session in Milwaukee yesterday. Liborius Semmann, dean of the Marquette Conservatory of Music, was elected president.

STUDENTS ENDORSE WILSON

The Eclectic Debating society of the normal discussed the Mexican situation at its meeting last night and the vote taken showed that the society was unanimously in favor of the action taken by the national government in regard to this affair. Many predictions were made in regard to the outcome of the war and it was generally believed that the struggle would be comparatively short.

Ab Adkins says the price of feed has gone so high that keeping a cow has become the height of affluence.

How You Can Remove Unsightly Hair or Fuzz

(Boudoir Secrets)

By having a small package of delatone handy, you can quickly banish ugly, unsightly hairs wherever they may appear. Just enough paste to cover the hairy surface is made with some of the powdered delatone and water. This is applied for about 2 minutes, then removed and the skin washed. This simple method not only banishes every trace of hair or fuzz, but leaves the skin firm, smooth and free from blemish.

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SALEM RESIDENT DIES AT BANGOR

John Rummel Succumbs to Attack of Bright's Disease on Sunday

WEST SALEM, Wis., April 23.—John Rummel, formerly of this city, died Sunday at his home in Bangor, Wis. Death was caused by Bright's disease. His bereaved parents have the sympathy of the community.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Miller of La Crosse, on Tuesday, a seven pound girl. Mrs. Miller will be better known as Miss Grace Tower.

Saturday afternoon about twenty-five ladies surprised Mrs. C. Fales at her home just west of town. The time was spent in various ways and at 6 o'clock a picnic supper was served. Mrs. Fales expects to leave for Pingree, N. D., soon, where she will spend the summer months with her husband on his farm.

Mrs. H. Curtis, who has been spending some time in North Dakota, is here visiting with relatives and friends.

A picnic supper was served at 6 o'clock Monday evening at the home of the Misses Mary and Elizabeth McEldowney in honor of Mrs. Anna Francis of St. Paul and Miss Virginia Samuels' birthday. All enjoyed a pleasant time. Miss Samuels received a number of pretty gifts.

Mrs. F. Jones entertained a few friends to tea Monday evening.

The Ladies' Study club meets at the home of Mrs. F. Jones on Monday, April 27, at 2:30. Lesson, "Development of Spartan Life and of Spartan Leadership in thePeloponnesus." Leader, Mrs. Sherman Dudley.

Mr. Harry Fischer, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, is able to be about again.

Rev. S. L. McKee spent Monday in La Crosse.

Mrs. Frank Coburn and daughter attended the Minneapolis Symphony orchestra at the La Crosse normal school Monday evening.

Mrs. Colesha Smith, who has been spending some time at Onalaska with her daughter, Mrs. H. Cronk, came up Monday to spend a few days with relatives here.

Mrs. Elmer Waite of Bangor spent Tuesday here with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Pfaff is spending a few days at Onalaska, a guest at the home of Mrs. A. Storandt.

Mrs. S. L. McKee returned from her western trip the last of the week.

A surprise party was given Cecil Upham Monday evening at his home in honor of his birthday. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served, after which the young people departed for their homes wishing Cecil many happy returns.

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LA CROSSE TAKES TO PARCEL PPST

The volume of parcel post business done in La Crosse has increased more than 756 per cent during the last year, according to figures submitted today by Postmaster William Tscharner after a fifteen day test.

During the period from April 1 to 15 a count on all parcel post packages passing through the local office was kept in accordance with instructions received from the postal department at Washington. The count showed that 58,977 packages were handled here. During the same period last year the total amounted to but 7,800. The average for the thirteen working days this year was 4,523 packages per day.

WILL FRAME NEW STATE FIRE CODE

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—Fox River Valley architects, builders, fire chiefs and others will have an opportunity tomorrow to offer suggestions for the new state building code. The industrial commission will hold a public hearing on Thursday at 2 o'clock at the Oshkosh city hall, at which the code will be fully discussed. This is the only hearing that will be held in the Fox River Valley and all residents of neighboring cities who are interested in the proposed code are expected to attend.

DIVERSE OPINION ON MOVE OF U. S.

London Papers Vary in Commenting on Action of Wilson in Mexican Situation

GLOBE HINTS AT ANNEXATION

Asserts President Undertakes to Tell Who Shall Rule Mexico; Villa for President

LONDON, April 23.—Considerable space was devoted to the Mexican situation by the British newspapers Tuesday.

"One of those great waves of national feeling which from time to time sweep away political dissensions among Americans," the Daily Telegraph says, "has gone throughout the United States. There is no nation in the world more punctilious over the honor of its flag and it is merely just for Americans to say that if an insult had come from a more formidable aggressor the manifestation of the public resolve to have reparation would only have been stronger and more violent. There is, of course, no question as yet of war in the strict meaning of the term."

Hints at a Protectorate

"In the declaration that the military operations of the United States are being taken not against the people of Mexico but against General Huerta," the Globe says, "we have the root weakness of President Wilson's policy. He undertakes to say who does and who does not represent the Mexican people. That is a pretension to which there is no other issue than annexation or a protectorate, as valid as that now exercised over Cuba."

Wilson Made Mistake

The Manchester Guardian, organ of the English peace party, says:

"War, should it come, would be purely ridiculous if the stakes were not human lives and national reputations. If both sides are itching to be at each other's throat, it would be discreditable to them both to have no better occasion for beginning.

"The originating cause of the dispute is undoubtedly the extension of the Monroe doctrine, which from being a mere notice board to Europe against political trespassing in the new world, has become a sort of gazetting of the United States as the political school mistress of Central and South America.

"President Wilson was wrong in refusing to recognize Gen. Huerta. The resulting intervention will put Pancho Villa in the position Huerta now occupies. This is not an attractive prospect, for Villa possesses in a higher degree every fault that President Wilson has found with Huerta."

Result Was Inevitable

The Liverpool Post was: "President Wilson's message was the inevitable culmination of American policy in refusing to recognize Gen. Huerta. The responsibility of the United States cannot cease with a mere conquest under arms and the upholding of American dignity, nor can it be confined to the immediate protection of international commercial interests.

"The further responsibility will devolve upon the United States of taking such steps as may be considered necessary for the permanent protection of those interests. That can only be done by establishing such a form and personnel of government as will insure the greatest degree of orderly life. The civilization of Mexico would have a beneficent influence throughout the world."

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ARREST JIM HILL FOR STEALING RIDE

Jim Hill of St. Paul was arrested here today for overlooking the formality of purchasing a railroad ticket before taking a ride on the Burlington railroad. The hobo namesake of the railroad magnate arrived in La Crosse yesterday morning. After pleading guilty to vagrancy he was sentenced to thirty days in the county jail by Judge John Brindley. Along with Hill, Christ Christianson, another "Weary Willie," was handed the same punishment.

The gossips sometimes disprove the theory that the truth doesn't hurt anyone.



Armour's "STAR"

"The Ham What Am" and Bacon too

Can you think of anything better for breakfast? The juicy, sweet, "mild sugar" cure flavor, with the tang of smouldering hickory logs given in the smoking, wakes up the most jaded and satisfies the healthiest appetite.

SMUT PREVENTED BY TREATING GRAIN

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—Smut diseases, which annually cause enormous losses to the grain growers of Wisconsin, can be controlled by treating the seed grain with formaldehyde solution.

According to B. D. Leith, college of agriculture, University of Wisconsin, oat smut and barley stripe can be prevented by soaking the seed in an ordinary cold water solution of the drug. Barley smut and loose smut of wheat, however, are harder to kill, and perhaps can best be controlled by a hot water treatment.

One of the methods of treating seed grain used at the Wisconsin experiment station follows:

The grain is spread upon a tight floor or canvas and is sprinkled until thoroughly moistened with a solution of one pint of 40 per cent formaldehyde to 40 gallons of water. The seed is thoroughly covered over to distribute the solution and is then piled and covered with sacks or canvas so that the formaldehyde gas will not evaporate before its good work is done. The grain may be sown at once or upon the following day but if it is to be kept longer it should be aired as soon as possible by spreading it out thinly upon the floor and then occasionally stirring it with a rake.

Another plan is to have the solution in a barrel or tank and then dip gunny sacks filled with the grain into the solution. The seed is then placed in a pile and handled in the manner already described.

BUMP CO. INCREASES CAPITAL TO $25,000

Amendments to the articles of incorporation of the Bump Perfected Paper Fastener company were filed with Andrew Thompson, register of deeds, today, whereby the name of the company is changed to the Bump Paper Fastener Co., and the capital stock is increased from $10,000 to $25,000.

LA CROSSE THEATRE

MONDAY, April 27

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WANTED—Driver at the Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 North Sixth. 4 22 24

WANTED—Bartender at the Stoddard hotel. 4 22 24

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WANTED—Girl for general housework. No washing. Apply evenings. 407 South Thirteenth. 4 21 27

WANTED—Two girls at the La Crosse hospital. 4 21 tf

WANTED—Kitchen girls at the Stoddard hotel. 4 21 23

WANTED—Assistant cook and floor maid at Lutheran hospital. 4 17 tf

WANTED—Two dining room girls at Hotel Hanson, Spring Grove, Minn. 4 17 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Good wages. Mrs. Smedal, 1420 Cass. 4 16 tf

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WANTED—Girl at 122 North Seventh. New phone 1395-C. 4 6 tf

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WANTED—Girl for general housework, preferably one who goes home nights. 1122 Cameron avenue. 4 20 23

WANTED—Girl to do housework at 618 Main. 4 22 24

WANTED—Dining room and kitchen girl at Hotel Doering. 4 22 28

WANTED—Competent cook. Good wages. Mrs. Law, 435 South Fourth. 4 20 tf

WANTED—Girls over 16 to learn making house dresses, aprons, etc. Those familiar with powtr sewing machines preferred. We pay beginners while learning. La Crosse Garment Co., 122-124 South Front street, La Crosse, Wis. 4 4 tf

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FOR SALE—Black dirt and clay. C. L. Baldwin, Ebner's Coulee. 4 21 27

FOR SALE—3 h. p. electric motor. Inquire 915 Logan. 4 1 tf

FOR SALE—Twin Harley-Davidson motorcycle, 1913 model. Absolutely good as new. Equipped. Better investigate this. 1223 Kane. New phone 586-C. 4 21 23

FOR SALE—Shoe repair shop on South side, with finishing machine, electric motor. S. S., Tribune. 4 21 tf

FOR SALE—Cord wood second growth oak, dry. New phone 2811. 4 21 5 4

FOR SALE—Two English pit bull pups, three months old. New phone 796-A. 4 21 26

FOR SALE—Cheap, nearly new piano, easy terms if desired. 610 Mississippi street. 4 20 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, brand new Anderson Computing Scale, and a Dictaphone horn, at A. J. Ness' Jewelry Store, 309 Pearl street. 4 9 tf

160 Acre fertile black loam soil Jackson county, Wis. Two miles from Shamrock. 77 acres broke, can improve 50 acres more. Running water. Price $35 per acre. Will consider trade for house up to $2,500. Must be worth the money. John Ristuben, Cashton, Wis. 4 20 21

FOR SALE—Some household goods consisting of marble top walnut tables and bureau, together with dressers, commodes, beds, steel couch, etc. Gateway City Transfer Co., 214-216 Vine street. 4 20 25

FOR SALE—Eight room modern house and barn with alley. Will sell cheap and on easy terms account leaving city. 1612 King street. 3 12 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, 25 foot launch hull. Inquire 1025 South Second. 4 20 24

FOR SALE—Farm, 52 acres, seven miles from La Crosse. Inquire B. B., care Tribune. 4 18 24

FOR SALE—Horse Hospital, very cheap. For particulars write E. A. Lamore, Jackson, Minn. 4 9 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot, cheap, to settle estate. Address House, Tribune. 4 17 30

FOR SALE—Hotel, including bar, feed barn and bowling alley in village of Bangor. Call at Farmers' State Bank, Bangor, Wis. 4 13 tf

FOR SALE—Stockers and feeders, two loads of Angus, weight 900 pounds; two loads Hereford, around 725 pounds; 50 head of calves. John Carrow, Ottumwa, Iowa. Box 128. 4 13 25

FOR SALE—Property at 512 Oakland street. Inquire of F. Rassmann, Beaver Dam, Wis. 3 30 4 29

FIRST CLASS BOILER, $125. Pulleys. H. N. Lain, 1322 South 5th. 3 11 tf

FOR SALE—Three used autos, from $175 up. A large safe cheap. Dietz Auto Garage. 3 19 tf

FOR SALE—Gas stove; bargain. 1225 Jackson street. 4 22 28

FOR SALE—Parlor suite, rug, Morris chair, baby buggy and child's double bed. Call Saturday, 1105 State. 4 22 24

FOR SALE—5 h. p. marine engine. Inquire 620 South Third. 4 22 25

FOR SALE—Sewing machine in first class condition. Will sell at a bargain if taken at once. 1316 Sill street. New phone 1430-R. 4 22 24

FOR SALE—Corner lot, two houses and barn. 802 South Eighth. 4 22 tf

FOR SALE—Five burner gas range, almost new. 1003 Cameron Ave. New phone 1272 Black. 4 22 24

FIRST $125.00 CASH buys Ford automobile; 2 cylinder opposed motor recently overhauled; good tires; needs cleaning and slight repairs, but will give good service; equipment includes runabout, 4-passenger tonneau and attachable truck delivery frame, wind shield, lamps, etc. W. V. Kidder, 114 North Fifth, La Crosse, Wis. 4 7 tf

FOR SALE—House, partly modern, on large lot. 1216 Pine. 3 28 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, old brick cheese. Henry Anderegg, 625 So. Eighth. Both phones. 3 27 tf

FOR SALE—Trap, suitable for small horse or pony. 821 State street. 3 30 tf

FOR RENT

SIX ROOM cottage, partly modern. Inquire 1739 Badger. 4 13 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. 317 South Eighth. 4 17 23

FOR RENT—Five room furnished flat downtown. Address L. L., Tribune. 4 18 tf

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping. 703 Pine. 4 22 tf

TO RENT—1219 Farnam. Apply 913 State. New phone 490-A. 4 22 24

FOR RENT—Steam heated rooms for light housekeeping, modern. 508 South Fifth. 4 22 25

FOR RENT—Furnished flat for housekeeping. New phone 194-A. 4 22 24

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms. 832 Mill. 4 22 28

FOR RENT—Five room house. Inquire 717 Badger. 4 22 tf

FOR RENT—Four room modern furnished flat for light housekeeping. 712 Cass street. 4 15 tf

FOR RENT—Five rooms, 407 South 23rd street. Call at 7 o'clock evenings. 4 20 tf

FOR RENT—Front room, one of Doerflinger apartments, 503 Cass upstairs. 4 20 25

FOR RENT—After May 1, strictly modern seven room house near high and normal school. Call 1174-R. 4 8 tf

FOR RENT—Eight room house. 921 Vine. 4 20 25

FOR RENT—Furnished room. 324 Jay street. 4 4 tf

FOR RENT—Eeven room house, with acre of land, near State Road on 22nd street. Inquire 921 Vine. 4 20 25

FOR RENT—Single or suite of furnished rooms, very pleasant and modern. 201 South Fifth street. 4 14 tf

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeepingg. 714 Cass. 4 6 tf

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED TO RENT—By June 1st, modern five to six room house with large garden. Address A. B. W., care of Tribune. 4 21 25

WANTED TO BUY—Small launch. 5496 old phone after 6 p. m. 4 20 23

WE CLEAN CARPETS and rugs with our large auto vacuum cleaner. If work is not satisfactory you pay nothing. New phone 819-R. Reeves, 418 Caledonia street. 4 20 tf

WANTED—Five or six room cottage. Call up new phone 957-R. 4 22 24

PLANTING TIME IS HERE—Let us price your wants in the nursery line. Catalogue free. The Northwood Nurseries, Coon Valley, Wis. 4 22 5 2

LACE CURTAINS done up reasonable. New phone 951-A. 4 22 tf

I WANT you to try a Brilliant Electric Suction Cleaner in your home free. A. O. Colby. 4 20 25

WANTED—To lease hotel and bar. Live Wisconsin town preferred. Address Bar, care of Tribune. 4 18 24

DRAYMEN ATTENTION! Free dumping ground for rubbish and for ashes, cinders and dirt we will pay. Standard Oil Company, Causeway plant. 4 14 24

WEIS' BOOK STORE is now located at 533 Main street, opposite St. Joseph's cathedral. 4 10 5 9

FOR HAULING ASHES and general teaming address H, care of Tribune. 4 2 5 1

NOW IS YOUR TIME to trade city property for improved or unimproved lands. Come and see me or write. Geo. H. Prock, Rice Lake, Wis. 3 31 4 30

UMBRELLAS REPAIRED. A. Mintz, 327 North Sixth. New phone 1561-C. 3 31 tf

Piano Tuning

RENIER Piano Co., New Phone 1244-M, 322 South Fourth street. 2 13 tf

Poultry Department



BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCK eggs, $1.00 for 15; $4.00 per hundred. Van Loon, La Crosse, Wis. Old phone 2054. 3 20 tf

ROSE COMB RHODE ISLAND REDS —Red to the skin, extra good color and size. Eggs $1.50 for 15; $5.00 for 100. Satisfaction guaranteed. W. H. Reed, Canton, Minn. 4 11 23

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock eggs, 50c per dozen. New phone 279-C. 4 17 23

FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION paid up stock is all right. 3 19 tf

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and diamonds. La Crosse Loan Co., 320 Main street, upstairs. 9 9 tf

LOANS on furniture and real estate J. W. Smith, 311 Pearl 5 5 tf

LOST

LOST—Gold chain with pearl pendant, probably between 20th and Cass and the normal school. Reward at Tribune office. Phone 323. 4 3 tf

LOST—Pocketbook containing $42, owned by Ray Munn. Return to Oyen Sign Co., 125 North Third. Reward. 4 22 25

Stoves and Furniture

WE PAY HIGHEST PRICES for all second-hand stoves, furniture, carpets, clothing, etc. Jacob's, 223 Pearl street. New phone 555-R. 4 4 5 3

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE and stoves. Bell Furniture & Stove Co., 216 South Third street, new telephone 1581-M 3 2 tf

Cut Rate Shipping

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis-Minn.

FOUND

FOUND—Girl's gold bracelet. Picked up last winter. Apply Tribune office. 4 3 tf

FUNERAL DIRECTORS

MILLER BROS., undertakers and embalmers, 120 Main. Phones 286. Open day and night.

RAY DETECTIVE SERVICE Expert shadows. Investigators, photography, commercial checking, etc. Confidential information obtained by experienced secret service men. Some divorce cases. P. O. Box 116, St. Paul, Minn. 4 21 28

REAL ESTATE

FOR RENT.

At New Amsterdam, 8 lots with 5 room dwelling house, barn, and shed, and a blacksmith shop, from April 1, 1914.

FOR SALE.

2 lots, 19th and Madison, cheap.

Several lots in Hentges addition, between 12th and 13th streets, at a bargain.

62x174 lot with brick house and frame house, 721 South 4th St.

285 acre farm, $30 per acre. Call at office.

15 room stone house, lot 171x90, fully modern, splendid location for rooming or boarding house.

Three residence properties on North Fourth street, regular income for rents 11 per cent gross of selling price.

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General Insurance, Bonds, Loans, Notary Public.

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La Crosse, Wis.

NO WORD FROM EDWARD WILLING NOW IN TAMPICO

Lack of word from Edward Willing in Tampico, Mexico, leads his father, Mr. John Willing, Sr., 408 South Ninth street, and his brother, John E. Willing, local clothing man, to believe that harm might have befallen him during the fighting near that place.

Mr. Willing is the paymaster for the Gulf Oil company at Tampico and the last word received from him was two months ago when he told of the warfare then being waged there.

"Our failure to hear from him," said John E. Willing today, "naturally causes us some alarm. However, he has been through so much of the fighting game that I am confident he is well qualified to take care of himself. He was in the Philippines when conditions there were at white heat and was through the Spanish American war. I am writing him today in the hope of getting information."

ARMS NOT FOR HUERTA

WASHINGTON, April 23.—"Huerta will not get the cargo, no matter what disposition is made of the German ship's consignment of arms to the Mexican government," said Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador following a half hour's conference with Secretary of State Bryan and John Lind today.

P. A. FLANIGAN DIES

P. A. Flanagan, for 25 years a resident of La Crosse, died Tuesday afternoon at one o'clock at his home, 714 South Seventh street after a three months' illness with heart disease. The funeral services will be held at St. Mary's church on Friday morning at nine o'clock, Dr. Robert B. Condon officiating.

ARREST PARK SPEEDER

An employe of the Hofweber auto garage was arrested this morning on complaint of Park Foreman Geo. Ritter for exceeding the speed limit in Levee park.

Comparative Markets

These Quotations Show the General Trend of Prices for the Previous Week

LIVESTOCK YESTERDAY

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., April 22.—Hogs—Receipts 20,000; market slow; 5 to 10c lower; mixed and butchers $8.30 to $8.60; good heavy $8.20 to $8.57; rough heavy $8.10 to $8.20; light $8.25 to $8.55; pigs $7.00 to $8.25.

Cattle — Receipts 15,000; market steady to lower; beeves $7.05 to $9.40; cows and heifers $3.70 to $8.50; stockers and feeders $5.50 to $8.15; Texans $7.10 to $8.20; calves $6.00 to $8.50.

Sheep — Receipts 23,000; market slow; 10c lower; native $5.25 to $6.75; western $5.35 to $6.80; lambs $6.20 to $8.15; western $6.20 to $8.40.

LIVESTOCK A WEEK AGO

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., April 15.—Hogs—Receipts 18,000; market slow; steady; mixed and butchers $8.60 to $8.90; good heavy $8.50 to $8.85; rough heavy $8.40 to $8.50; light $8.65 to $8.90; pigs $7.50 to $8.60.

Cattle — Receipts 1,000; market steady to strong; beeves 7.10 to $9.50; cows and heifers $3.75 to $8.60; stockers and feeders $5.60 to $8.15; Texans $7.25 to $8.30; calves $6.50 to $9.50.

Sheep — Receipts 21,000; market steady; native $5.50 to $7.00; western $5.60 to $7.10; lambs $6.30 to $8.25; western $6.50 to $8.50.

Grain

	Yesterday.	Week Ago.
WHEAT—		
May	92½	92¾
July	88	86¾
CORN—		
May	64⅜	68¼
July	64¾	66⅝
OATS—		
May	37⅜	37¼
July	37⅜	37½

Madero Regrets American Lives

NEWARK, N. J., April 23.—"It is an awful pity,' said Evaristo Madero, youngest brother of the late Francisco Madero, martyred president of Mexico, when informed at his East Orange home today that four American marines were killed in the landing force that seized the customs house at Vera Cruz.

"It is an awful pity that American blood must be shed on Mexican soil," said Madero. "We can only hope for the early settlement of affairs and pray that no more Americans will lose their lives."

Madero, who is a graduate of Cornell university and a linguist of ability, has stated that the only evidence of anti-Americanism in the southern republic has existed in the Huerta controlled press of the capital.

LA CROSSE BOY HELPS TAKE CITY

One La Crosse boy, Otto Molzahn, 609 North Fifteenth street, participated in the capture of Vera Cruz. Molzahn is a marine aboard the U. S. S. Utah, which has been in the harbor of Vera Cruz for the last six weeks. Vera Cruz was captured by the marines and sailors from the Utah, Prairie and Florida. In a recent letter received here from Molzahn, the La Crosse boy told of revolting scenes of cruelty in the streets of Vera Cruz and declared that he and his comrades were awaiting action with impatience.

13 VESSELS ON COAST

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The navy department announced this afternoon that thirteen ships on the Pacific coast are available for service in Mexican waters—seven of them, North Carolina, Washington, Tennessee, Brooklyn, Salem, Sacramento, Castine—carry in all 2,500 men. In addition the gunboats Marietta, Newport, Dubuque, Machias and Isla de Luzon, can be used. These vessels have been loaned to state organizations, continued the bulletin.

BONDS

We own and offer the following high grade Bonds. Can furnish $100 denominations in several of them. Where can you find as good investments?

$5,000	Tillamook Timber & Logging Co. ..... 6 per cent
$2,000	J. K. Lumber Co. ..... 6 per cent
$6,000	Tremont Lumber Co. ..... 6 per cent
$11,700	Huntington Land & Improvement Co. ..... 6 per cent
$2,000	J. S. Betts Co. ..... 6 per cent
$4,500	C. A. Smith Lumber Co. ..... 6 per cent
$5,000	Fosburgh Lumber Co. ..... 6 per cent
$5,000	Union Lumber Co. ..... 6 per cent
$5,000	Arpin Hardwood Lumber Co. ..... 6 per cent
$8,900	Goddard & Co. ..... 6 per cent
$5,000	Carpenter-O'Brien Co. ..... 6 per cent
$4,000	Great Falls Power Co. ..... 5 per cent
$5,000	Omaha & Council Bluffs Street Railway Co. ..... 5 per cent
$5,000	Rockford & Interurban Railway Co. ..... 5 per cent
$5,000	Cicero Gas Co. ..... 5 per cent
$1,500	Pearsons Taft Land Credit Co. ..... 5.3 per cent
$10,000	Red River Timber Co. ..... 5 per cent

LA CROSSE TRUST CO.

DAILY MARKETS

Wholesale Fruit

(Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Figs, Calif., 12 to 12 oz.	85c
Dates, Anchor, 30 packages	$2.50
Dates, Excelsior, 30 packages	$2.75
Dates, Dromedary, 30 packages	$3.00
New Dates, per pound	6c
Bananas, per bunch	$1.50 to $2.00
California Lemons, box	$4.00 to 4.50
Lemons, Verdelli, 30 size box	$4.00
Oysters, Standards, gallon	$1.50
Cabbage, per hundred	$3.00
Oranges, Cal., box	$2.75
Grape Fruit	$4.00
Apples, Northern Spys	$5.00
Apples, Snows	$5.00
Apples, Grimes Golden	$5.00
Apples, Baldwins	$6.00
Apples, Greenings	$6.00
Apples, Cooking	$4.00
Apples, boxes	$1.75 to $1.90
Canada Rutabagas, per bu.	75c
Cider, Refined, per barrel	$6.50
Cider, Pure Juice, per barrel	$6.00
Cider, Crab Apple, half barrel	$5.50
Cider, Refined, half barrel	$3.75
Cider, Pure Juice, half barrel	$3.50
Onions, Yellow, per hd.	$4.00
Potatoes, per bushel	70c
Strawberries, per quart	50c

Livestock

(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)

Hogs	$7.50 to $8.00
Steers	$3.50 to $6.50
Cows	$3.00 to $5.00
Heifers	$3.00 to $5.50
Sheep	$2.50 to $3.00
Spring Lambs	$5.50 to $6.00

Poultry

Chickens	13 to 15c
Turkeys	14 to 15c
Ducks	12 to 13c
Geese	11 to 12c

Provisions

Lard, per pound	13¼ to 13¾c
Shoulders, per pound	13½c
Hams, per pound	16 to 16½c
Bacon, per pound	17 to 20c
Dried Beef, per pound	28 to 32c

Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery butter, pound	25 to 27c
Dairy butter, pound	22c
Eggs, fresh, dozen	18c
Eggs, seconds, dozen	16c

Grain

(Quoted by Thomas Phalon Co.)

Corn	50 to 60c
Oats	32 to 38c
Wheat	75 to 80c
Rye	50 to 52c
Barley	50 to 65c

Flour and Feed

(Quoted by Listman Mill Co.)

Patent, per barrel	$4.90
Straight, per barrel	$4.70

Mill Feed

Bran, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$27.00
Shorts, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$28.00
White middlings, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$30.00
Red Dog, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$31.00

Cheese

(Quoted by Hy. Anderegg)

Fancy full cream twins	14¼ to 16c
Fancy full cream daisies	15 to 16c
Fancy full cream limburger	16 to 18c
Fancy full cream Swiss block	17-18c

RUSH TROOPS TO BORDER

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 23.—Additional troops were rushed today from Fort Rosecrans to the Mexican border near Tia Juana. Two additional field guns were taken. Mexican federals there are throwing up entrenchments and a desperate engagement is expected when the United States troops attempt to take the customs house.

FOR SALE

Make me an offer on a good lot, n Hillview addition, facing park. Address 59 Tribune.

FOR RENT—Two office rooms, one with fire-proof vault. Batavian National Bank.

WANTED—Female Help

We are in need of a few more girls in our knitting department. Good wages, steady work, plenty of light, sanitary conditions and a comfortable place to work. Call at once if you wish a good job. La Crosse Knitting Works.

FEARED THAT LOCAL MAN'S BROTHER WAS AMONG WOUNDED

Fears that George L. Leahy, of Stevens Point, brother of F. W. Leahy, editor of the La Crosse Leader-Press, had been seriously wounded during the occupation of Vera Cruz, were dispelled this morning when Editor Leahy received a dispatch from Washington correcting the impression.

The injured man is Chas. L. Leahy, 323 East Ninetieth street, New York City. An error on the telegram gave his first initial as G. instead of C. Both men were in service on the battleship Florida. The Washington dispatch brings the reassuring information that the La Crosse man's relative was uninjured.

POPE PLEADS WITH HUERTA

CHICAGO, April 23.—The Chicago Daily News this afternoon prints a dispatch from its Rome correspondent, declaring that the pope has cabled the apostolic delegate in Mexico, instructing him to ask President Huerta to yield to the United States to avert further bloodshed. The News correspondent says that several foreign rulers have sent similar messages to Huerta.

SENTENCE STOCK SWINDLER

KEOKUK, Ia., April 23.—For using the mails with intent to defraud Van Buren county farmers in a stock deal Jacob Metz was sentenced to prison for a term of two years by Federal Judge Smith McPherson here.

ARRESTS AT VERA CRUZ

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Consul Canada at Vera Cruz reported this afternoon that "many arrests" were being made in Vera Cruz during a house to house search for armed citizens now being made

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take the word of a friend, but come and see for yourself. Compare our qualities and prices with those found elsewhere.

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Remember
our assortments are immense. We are in a position to satisfy all classes of trade.

EXTRA SPECIAL! *EXTRA SPECIAL!*

April UNDERMUSLIN SALE

Beginning this year we are going to inaugurate what will be known hereafter as our **"ANNUAL APRIL SALE OF MUSLIN UNDERWEAR."** We have made extensive preparations for this event and are determined to make this sale one of marked success and popularity. We therefore offer you an assortment of the very newest and most desirable Spring Undermuslins, unsurpassed in beauty, quality, variety or money saving opportunities. Attend this sale Friday or any of the three days thereafter. It is truly a triumph of worthy goods and an appeal to taste and economy.



Sale Commences Tomorrow at 9 A. M. and no woman who has an Undermuslin want can afford to miss this great opportunity

TABLE NO. 1
Corset Covers, the regular 25c seller, sale price each **13c**

TABLE NO. 2
One lot of **Women's Drawers**, value supreme, special sale price **13c**

TABLE NO. 3
One lot **Combination Suits**, regular $1.25 quality, special sale price **89c**

TABLE NO. 4
Contains **Gowns**, the best values ever offered, sale price **39c**

EXTRA SPECIAL!
A big lot of **Children's Drawers**, the regular 10½c quality, all sizes 2 to 12, choice during this sale for..... **7c**

TABLE NO. 5
A big line of White Muslin **Petticoats**, worth more than the material is worth, special sale price of **23c**

TABLE NO. 6
Has excellent quality **Corset Cover** that retail regular for 35c, special sale price **19c**

TABLE NO. 7
Princess Slips, excellent $1.00 quality, special sale price **69c**

TABLE NO. 8
Marcella Combination Suits in Crepe and plain materials, $1.25 value, special sale price .. **98c**

EXTRA SPECIAL!
In **Marcella Combination**, we doubt if they will last all day; they are the regular $1.50 and $1.75 Marcella Combination, special sale price **$1.29**



Undermuslin on the Second Floor

SPECIAL
Corset Covers, 59c value, special for **48c**

Gowns. One lot $1.75 Gowns for **$1.19**
One lot 65c Gowns for **59c**

PETTICOATS
One lot Women's long Muslin Petticoats, regular 65c value, special price each **39c**

SPECIAL
Drawers, one lot 35c Drawers, special sale price **23c**

Princess Slips
A lot of a regular $1.25 value specially priced for Friday, Saturday and Monday at **98c**

PETTICOATS
Another great value in Women's Petticoats, the regular $1.50 value, specially priced each **95c**

Princess Slips
Another lot of the $2.00 grade specially priced for the three day sale at **$1.39**

The First Day of Our Three Days' Dress Goods Sale Proves a Tremendous Success

Hundreds of women attracted by the phenomenal price reductions thronged our aisles all day. To those who have not taken advantage of this opportunity we can say but this, "You will have something to regret."

10c for finest quality 15c sheer White **India Linen.**

19c for **Ratine,** a 45c fancy Stripe Ratine for Suits and Wash Skirts.

48c for **Plain and Fancy Silk Cord** and Nub Ratine, very rich finish, all colors, that sell and are worth 75c yard.

59c for pure **French Ramie Dress Linens.** These in 12 splendid dress shades, also White, 48 inches wide.

77c for **40 inch Ratine,** always sold at $1.50 yard, in most every color, also a beautiful Brocaded Ratine in Brown, Tan, Cadet, Wisteria.

36 inch Wash Silks in fancy fast color stripes for Shirts and Wash Waists and Suits, yard **39c**

58c to 75c Brocaded Pongee Silks and Brocaded Silk Tussahs, 27 and 36 in. wide, 20 different shades in several pretty styles for Wash Waists and Suits, yd. **44c**

Yard wide Satin Messaline in Black and colors, $1.25 everywhere and a good value, 20 pieces Black and staple shades, yard **95c**

Fancy Foulards in a very excellent assortment of styles that are new, 85c and $1.00 Cheney qualities, at yard **69c**

Printed 38 inch Oriental Crepe de Chines medium and dainty colored grounds, also White grounds. A real craze. One of the most popular fabrics of the season, yard **79c**

Drugs, Domestics, Etc.

UMBRELLAS
Steel rod Umbrellas, mercerized water proof cover..... **39c**

PILLOW CASES
Pepperell Pillow Cases, 36x42, at each **14c**

TABLE LINEN
All of our Oil Boiled Turkey Red and Blue Table Linen, per yard **39c**

WHISKY
Duffy's Pure Malt Whisky, $1.00 bottle each **79c**

Good Evening!

FOR FRIDAY we offer additional proofs of the supremacy of our Grocery Dept. as a bargain center.

5 pounds fine Granulated Sugar	19c	Salmon, Reindeer brand, pe. can	15c
3 boxes (500) Matches for	10c	Cut Wax Beans, Monsoon brand, No. 2 can	10c
5 Salted Holland Herring	10c	Fancy Naval Oranges, 150 size dozen	25c
Fancy Brick Cheese, per pound	20c		
Sardines in pure olive oil, 15c value	11c		

SPECIAL—Large assortment of Rose Bushes at each **10c**

No telephone orders accepted on these Specials. No Sugar delivered unless accompanied by a small order.

Drugs, Domestics, Etc.

FACE POWDER
La Blache Face Powder, 50c box each **39c**

SAGE AND SULPHUR
Sage and Sulphur Hair Tonic, 50c bottle each **39c**

SARSAPARILLA
Hood's Sarsaparilla, a good spring tonic, $1 bottle each.... **79c**

SEEDS
Flower and Vegetable Seeds, good variety, pkg. **1c**

LINEN
All of our $1.00 Table Linen, per yard **85c**

NAME GRAND OFFICERS

NEENAH, Wis., April 23.—Major J. B. Schneller of the First Wisconsin infantry has made the following appointments to his staff: F. J. Schneller, Neenah, adjutant, with the rank of first lieutenant; quartermaster commissary, Hans Hilsenhoff, Madison, with rank of second lieutenant; N. C. Jersild, Neenah, sergeant major, and orderlies, Richard C. Erdman, Oconomowoc; J. W. Bolinski, Milwaukee, and H. H. Albright, Neenah.

NORWEGIAN DOCTOR DELIVERS LECTURE

Rev. Sommerfelt of University of Christiania Speaks at Lutheran Church at Rushford

RUSHFORD, Minn., April 23.—On the evening of April 21st, Rushford residents had the pleasure of hearing Rev. A. Sommerfelt, M. D., pastor and physician from the University of Christiania, Norway. His subject was "The Soul's Influence on the Diseases of the body."

The Stork special stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sheldahl last Tuesday and left a sturdy little gentleman, who at once made himself at home there.

The roller skating craze has struck this city full blast and as a consequence it is scarcely safe to venture on the streets, as all those who participate in the pastime are not as careful of the rights of others as they might be.

During the Easter vacation, Mr. J. Jenson, of the city schools, went to Mitchell, S. D., to complete the necessary arrangements to taking out his second citizenship papers.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Coxe of Fountain, have been recent guests of the Craig home, in Brooklyn. Mr. Coxe was for some time instructor in the manual training department of our city schools and both her and his wife have a wide circle of friends here.

Ralph Hammond, who has been attending school at Faribault, arrived in the city last Saturday, for a six months' vacation with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gullickson of Ferry street. Master Ralph has completed his second year at the school for the blind and is very enthusiastic over the course of study pursued there. While his eyes are yet in quite good shape, it was deemed best to have him take up the work at the Faribault school. He brought home with him some very fine pieces of handiwork, made by himself. The pieces consist of a rug, pillow top, bead purses, trinket boxes, laundry bags and a large hammock.

Mr. F. A. Olson, who returned from Chicago after taking a course of treatment there, is still in very feeble health.

The Misses Carrie and Bernice Roberton arrived in this city from Great Falls, Mont., last Saturday. Miss Bernice surprised her people in Great Falls by going to spend her Easter vacation there and her sister, Miss Carrie, accompanied her back to this city for a visit.

Henry McKay, one of the prosperous farmers near Hart, has been through a very severe seige of pneumonia, but is now on the road to recovery, and if no complications set in, will soon be about again.

Another case of the careless handling of firearms occurred recently in South Rushford, when Albert Ebner sent a load of shot through one of his hands. Unless unforseen complications set in, the injured member will soon be in use again, having had immediate treatment by a physician.

Two farmers of North Prairie, Erick Bothum and Peter Bradley have decided to erect new and commodious homes this spring, Contractor Nelson having secured the contract for both places.

Mrs. Lathrop of St. Paul, is the guest of her brother, Rev. John Bantly of this city.

Stella Tofstad, who is teaching the Ferndale school, spent Sunday with her parents in this city.

A new church is being erected over at Greenleafton. Contractor J. Akre and a crew of workmen doing the work.

Louis Peterson of Harmony, has been a recent guest of the Ole Quarve and John Peterson homes in this city and of the Ensrud home in Lanesboro.

Mrs. Olaf Lee of Brooklyn, is the guest of friends and relatives at Fertile, Minn.

Mr. Madison Gregg, who we understand, is engaged in teaching at Granger, this state, has entered the race for county superintendent of schools in Fillmore county, running against Mr. Oscar Carlson, the present incumbent, who is in the race for another term.

Mr. W. H. Lee is also a candidate for the office of county superintendent of the Filmore county schools.

The food sale held by the ladies of the Rushford Presbyterian church last Saturday afternoon, netted a tidy sum, despite the rain, which fell almost all day. These sales have but on draw back, that being the demand for home baking exceeding the supply. After this sale, it is probable that there will be held one each month, presumably at the same place, D. J. Shirven's store.

The seventh and eighth grades of our city schools have been recently admitted to the agricultural class and this summer will plant gardens of their own and attend the same.

Rev. Savig has leased the Jaastad property in North Rushford, lately vacated by Mr. J. E. Parish and family. The family of Mr. Saevig moved into their new home last week.

Work on the new residence being built by Olavas Olson, near his own home, is going on rapidly. The building will be commodious and modern, when completed.

The town of Peterson is to have a new veterinary surgeon, Mr. N. A. Scarstad having determined to locate there. The gentleman was born and raised near Peterson and therefore is well known, being one who is lucky enough to have a wide circle of friends and acquaintances.

The most enthusiastic followers of "Ike Walton" have been busy digging bait and fixing their fishing tackle, lately. Red horse and suckers are about all that have responded to their natient (?) efforts.

DANDRUFF SURELY DESTROYS THE HAIR

Makes It Dull, Brittle, Lifeless, and Causes It to Fall Out

Girls—if you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff, for it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't.

It doesn't do much good to try to brush or wash it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy, every single sign and trace of it.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop, and your hair will be silky, fluffy, lustrous, soft, and look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much dandruff you have. This simple remedy never fails.

VARSITY WOMEN WISH TO ENLIST

Students at "U" Will Serve as Nurses if Call Is Issued; Governor Reviews Troops

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—Women students of the University of Wisconsin have caught the enthusiasm over the war crisis and if a call for volunteers is made, necessitating the services of Red Cross nurses, there will be no small number of women who will leave their studies for service in field hospitals.

Among those already planning to offer their services are Marjorie Hompe, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Ruth Peck, Evansville, Ind.; Esther Levitan, Madison.

Many Willing to Go

Several said they would be willing to go if the call were urgent. They were students in medicine, among them being Edna G. Ryar, Madison; Bird Arnold, Glenn Ellyn, Ill.; Maud Hilberry, Sleepy Eye, Minn.; Clara Hillesheim, Blue River; Mary T. Roudebusch, Memphis, Tenn.; Mary Stoeber, Madison; Edith Tomhagen, Chicago.

At a recent vocational conference for women students nursing was one of the subjects discussed. After the conference a large number of women held special conferences with the speaker and indicated their interest.

Governor Reviews Regiments

Wartime scenes greet Madisonians on all sides. The adjutant general's office is busy answering communications from its thirty-eight military stations over the state. Recruits to Company G, First regiment, are being drilled extra hours and the drill hall resounds with commands of drill sergeants. Two regiments of the University of Wisconsin corps of cadets passed in review before Governor McGovern and Brigadier General Holway.

Some people are so eager to be on the right side that they will take both sides.

MRS. THOMSON TELLS WOMEN

How She Was Helped During Change of Life by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Philadelphia, Pa.—"I am just 52 years of age and during Change of Life I suffered for six years terribly. I tried several doctors but none seemed to give me any relief. Every month the pains were intense in both sides, and made me so weak that I had to go to bed. At last a friend recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to me and I tried it at once and found much relief. After that I had no pains at all and could do my housework and shopping the same as always. For years I have praised Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for what it has done for me, and shall always recommend it as a woman's friend. You are at liberty to use my letter in any way."—Mrs. THOMSON, 649 W. Russell St., Philadelphia, Pa.



Change of Life is one of the most critical periods of a woman's existence. Women everywhere should remember that there is no other remedy known to carry women so successfully through this trying period as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.

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EXTRA!

CHARGE O'SHAUGHNESSY IS GIVEN HIS PASSPORTS AND GEN. HUERTA WILL DECLARE WAR WITHIN FEW HOURS CARRANZA WILL JOIN THE DICTATOR

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Charge O'Shaughnessy has been handed his passports by Huerta. He will leave Mexico City today or early Friday morning. This is the first official step toword open declaration of war.

Early today a cable was received from the American charge. It said: "Having been given my passports, I am leaving Thursday night or Friday morning."

This was the first word from O'Shaughnessy in over forty-eight hours.

The message from O'Shaughnessy was given out at 3:20 a. m. today. It was believed to have been received about midnight. The president was hauled from bed to hear the message read over the telephone by Secretary Tumulty who passed a sleepless night.

With Charge O'Shaughnessy enroute from Mexico City, this government waited anxiously today for an expected formal declaration of war from Huerta.

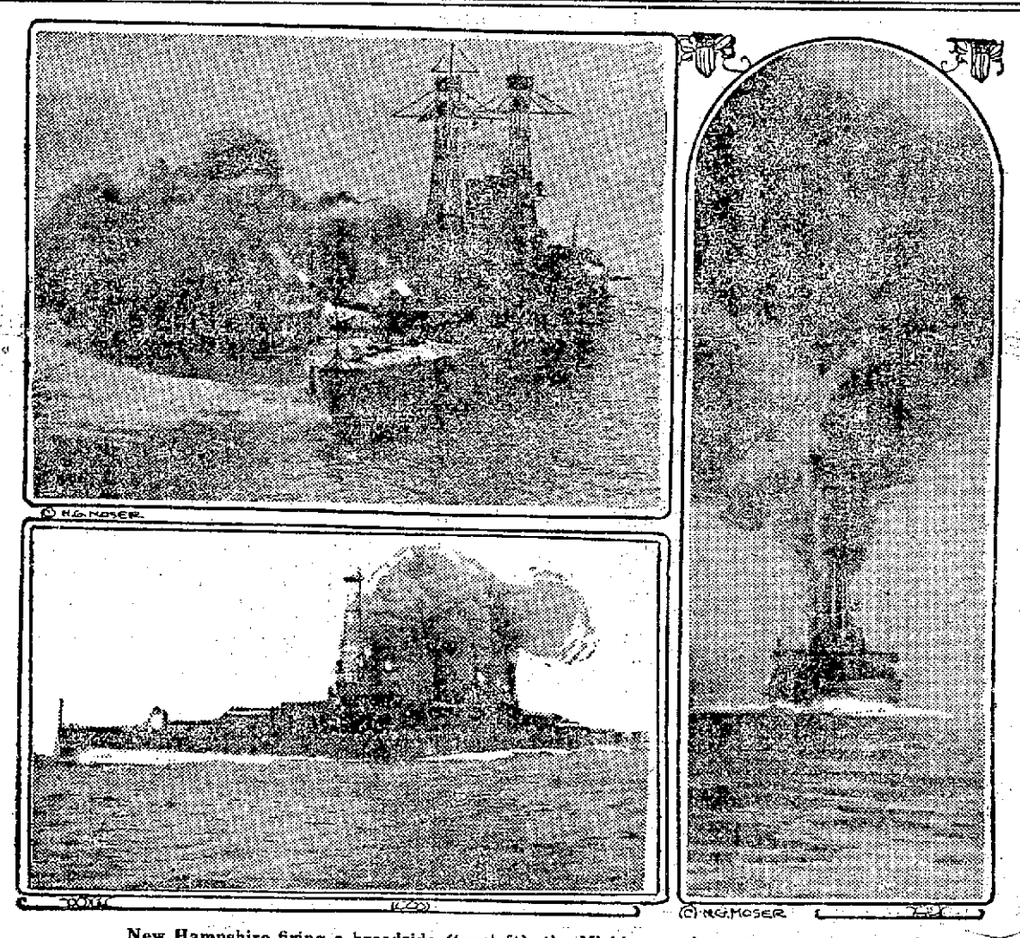
Handing O'Shaughnessy his passports formally severed diplomatic relations. Algara, Mexican charge here, was expected to ask for his passports before noon. They will be promptly turned over.

No longer is there any doubt that there is to be a general conflict with a united Mexico lined up solidly against the might of the United States. Carranza has spoken and his declaration is interpreted by President Wilson and his advisers as a threat.

There will be no more disposition shown to temporize with Carranza than there has been to condone Huerta's efforts.

Officials here believe that Huerta has a formal declaration of war ready, but so far they have not received notification of its issuance. Because of the fragmentary state of communication with the Mexican capital, they do not know whether the dictator has taken the matter up with the Mexican congress. His attitude, however, clearly set forth in his statement of late last night, in which he said war was on and promised to have an army of 400,000 men in the field in twenty days.

Warships To Make Huerta See Error Of His Ways



New Hampshire firing a broadside (top left), the Michigan and the Nebraska (right).

BRYAN HASN'T HEARD HUERTA HAS DECLARED WAR

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Regarding persistent rumors in Washington that Huerta had declared war, Secretary of State Bryan today declared that he had no knowledge of such an event. He explained that he has heard nothing from Mexico City for forty hours.

BADGER ARRIVES AND SHELLS VERA CRUZ OCCUPYING ALL CITY

MEXICO RESOLUTION PASSED BY CONGRESS

A joint resolution justifying the employment by the president of the armed forces of the United States:

"In view of the facts presented by the president of the United States in his address delivered to the congress, in joint session on the 20th of April, 1914, with regard to certain affronts and indignities committed against the United States in Mexico, be it

"Resolved, by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America in congress assembled:

"That the president is justified in the employment of the armed forces of the United States to enforce his demand for unequivocal amends for certain affronts and indignities committed against the United States.

"Be it further resolved

"That the United States disclaim any hostility to the Mexican people or any purpose to make war upon Mexico."

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 22--(Bulletin)—Vera Cruz is now completely in the hands of United States marines. The federal soldiers have been driven out.

This information was given out by Secretary Bryan at 1:20 today, following a previous announcement that Fletcher had renewed his attack upon the Huerta soldiers holding the center and outlying portions of Vera Cruz.

Under the guns of the fleet, which began a heavy cannonade at 8 o'clock this morning, the marines then pressed forward into the city, driving the federals back.

(BY BERNARD RUCKER, UNITED PRESS STAFF CORRESPONDENT WITH ADMIRAL BADGER'S FLAGSHIP.)

VERA CRUZ, APRIL 22.|—THE COMBINED FLEETS OF REAR ADMIRAL FLETCHER AND REAR ADMIRAL BADGER, (THE LATTER ARRIVED EARLY) THIS MORNING BEGAN SHELLING VERA CRUZ, KNOCKING DOWN THE HOUSES WHERE MEXICAN "SNIPERS" HAVE TAKEN REFUGE IN ORDER TO PICK OFF AMERICAN MARINES. THE LIGHTER GUNS OF THE VESSELS WERE USED AS THE FULL BOMBARDMENT POWER OF THE FLEET IS NOT NECESSARY.

The bombardment started at 8 a. m. today after Rear Admiral Fletcher had sent an ultimatum to the mayor and other officials remaining in the city.

Fletcher demanded that the officials see that firing on the marines holding the streets in the vinicity of the consulate, the customs house, and the wharves cease and that business be resumed. While awaiting a reply the marines merely held the depot and customs house. They returned the fire of the Mexicans directed at them from the roofs of houses and the streets. Machine guns were brought into play and several adobe buildings were demolished.

Consul Canada today estimated the Mexican casualties in yesterday's fighting at between 100 and 150. All of the dead and wounded were natives of low caste.

General Maas, commander of the garrison here could not be found today and it was definitely learned that he had fled with his family.

Two trains bearing American refugees arrived here from Mexico City today. TWO MORE TRAINS ARE ENROUTE, BUT THE RAILROAD IS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN CUT BY THE FEDERALS.

While the fighting was in progress the mayor of Vera Cruz turned up and visited Consul Canada under a flag of truce. Nothing was accomplished in the conference which they held, however, and the marines began a house to house search for "snipers."

IN POSSESSION AT NOON

WASHINGTON, April 22.—All of the city of Vera Cruz was in the possession of the American forces shortly after noon today.

Three thousand American bluejackets and marines were sent forward in formation of an extended crescent, driving the Mexicans before them out of the city.

Canada said: "All Vera Cruz was in our possession by noon." He also reported that the first and second sections of the train from Mexico City which carried women and children refugees, reached Vera Cruz safely before the fighting began yesterday.

Most of the refugees are in hotels and all are safe.

The big customs house warehouse caught fire during the fighting but the flames have been extinguished.

Canada has sent messages to all hotel keepers offering them full protection, and ordering them to reopen their establishments.

The report continues: supporting Lieutenant Colonel Neville, who is in command of the entire attacking force.

Consul Canada has no further report on casualties and it is not yet known whether any additional Americans have been killed or wounded.

Major Catlin and 300 marines are

CONGRESS PLACES POWER IN HANDS OF THE PRESIDENT

War Resolution Passes the Senate and House This Morning and Goes to Wilson

GOES THROUGH HOUSE WITH WHOOP

Quibble Over Resolution in the Senate but It Goes Through Lower Body Quickly

BY BOND P. GEDDES

(Staff correspondent of the United Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Congress today placed President Wilson in sole and absolute charge of hostilities against Mexico. The resolution "justifying" his course and giving him unlimited power to use our military force, was passed by both the senate and house. It was sent to him for approval at once. Wilson signed the resolution at 2:09.

Congress expects that a resolution declaring war will soon follow.

Following passage by the senate at 3:20 this morning by a vote of 72 to 13, of the Mexican resolution, the house at 10:38 today took similar action by a viva voce vote.

Post Haste to Wilson

No roll call was demanded in the lower legislative body. A feeble chorus of "noes" was drowned in a thunderous volume of ayes, and the resolution was concurred in by the house and sent post haste to the president.

Less than a half hour was required for the summary action of the house. The resolution was laid before it at 10:16. Fifteen minutes later it was vociferously roared into law.

The senate had talked and disputed and quibbled over the words in the resolution. The house acted. There was practically no debate. Chairman Flood of the foreign affairs committee called up the resolution, as amended by the senate.

ORDER FLEET OUT

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The third division of the Atlantic fleet now at Boston was ordered yesterday to sail for Mexico on April 25.

POSTPONE GIRL CASE

The case against Jessie Gibbons and Viola Atkinson, charged with immorality, was again adjourned in county court this afternoon. Upon request of attorneys an adjournment of one month was taken by Judge John Brindley.

ELECTION COST $6.39

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—Circuit Judge E. Ray Stevens spent $6.39 in his campaign for re-election as judge of the Ninth Judicial district, according to his expense account filed with the secretary of state. He was unopposed. He spent $5.25 for printing nomination blanks and $1.14 for postage.

CLERGYMAN WOULD JOIN

The war fever has reached the clergy. Today Recruiting Officer Joseph Evans received a letter from the Rev. J. A. Nordling, a Lutheran minister at Grand Rajids, Wis., requesting information relative to becoming an army chaplain. His letter was referred to the adjutant general at Washington.

PLAN MAUSOLEUM FOR WEST SALEM

West Salem is to have a mausoleum similar to that of La Crosse but somewhat smaller. Preliminary steps have already been taken toward that end and articles of incorporation for the purpose of carrying on the work were filed with Register of Deeds Andrew Thompson here. E. B. Mercereau, G. W. Dudley and S. C. Sander are the incorporators. The company will be known as the Hamilton Mausoleum company and will operate without capital stock.

DENY BRYAN RESIGNS

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Secretary Tumulty at the White house this afternoon officially denied a report ed circulated today that Secretary Bryan had tendered his resignation to President Wilson as the result of the bloodshed at Vera Cruz. Tumulty said the story was absolutely without foundation.

WRITING NECESSARY TO JOIN THE ARMY

Bernard Egan, La Crosse recruiting officer, gives the following list of requirements to join the United States army:

Height, five feet four inches; weight, 120 pounds; hearing and sight, normal; ability to read and write the English language; first citizenship papers. Any form of disease, any physical defect such as a missing finger or toe, lack of ordinary intelligence or flat footedness will bar applicants. The most common trouble discovered in applicants, he declares, is defective eyes.

VISIT WESTERN PRISONS

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—President Ralph E. Smith and Secretary Matt Tappins of the state board of control have left on a trip to visit prisons in the middle west, with especial attention to the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan. They will return May 1. The board will meet May 5.

Popular Fiction
"DAMAGED GOODS," the play is coming April 27. Read the book, then see the play. Special in our Stationery Dept. per copy $1.00

DOERFLINGER'S.
YOU PAY LESS HERE

POPULAR MUSIC—Sung at the Majestic this week. When I Meet You on Love Avenue. He's a Devil in His Own Home Town. I'm Crying Just for You. Pipe Organ Rag. Special in our Music Dept. per copy 10c

Interesting Items in Wash Goods, Silks and Dress Goods for a Great Three Days' Sale

36 inch Wash Silks in fancy fast color stripes for Shirts and Wash Waists and Suits, yard 39c

58c to 75c Brocaded Pongee Silks and Brocaded Silk Tussahs, 27 and 36 in. wide, 20 different shades in several pretty styles for Wash Waists and Suits, yd. 44c

Yard wide Satin Messaline in Black and colors, $1.25 everywhere and a good value, 20 pieces Black and staple shades, yard 95c

Fancy Foulards in a very excellent assortment of styles that are new, 85c and $1.00 Cheney qualities, at yard 69c

French Crinkle Crepes, 40 inches wide, in the very latest shades as well as the more staple colors Black or White. The fashionable Crepe for combinations or entire Suits or Waists, yard $1.25

Extra 59c yard Special
All Wool Materials in fine Black Worsteds, Serges and handsome colored Wool Suitings and Vigeroux, every piece an actual $1.00 value, yard 59c

Printed 38 inch Oriental Crepe de Chines medium and dainty colored grounds, also White grounds. A real craze. One of the most popular fabrics of the season, yard 79c

Extra $1.19 yard Special
$1.50 and $2.00 Wool Materials. You will surely buy at sight. 50 and 54 inch pure Worsted Suitings, Serges, Diagonals, also Tussah Royal. Eponges, Gabardines, $1.50 to $2.00 qualities, for Suits or Skirts, in Black and all colors, per yard $1.19

10c for finest quality 15c sheer White **India Linen.**

19c for **Ratine,** a 45c fancy Stripe Ratine for Suits and Wash Skirts.

48c for **Plain and Fancy Silk Cord** and Nub Ratine, very rich finish, all colors, that sell and are worth 75c yard.

59c for pure **French Ramie Dress Linens.** These in 12 splendid dress shades, also White, 48 inches wide.

77c for **40 inch Ratine,** always sold at $1.50 yard, in most every color, also a beautiful Brocaded Ratine in Brown, Tan, Cadet, Wisteria.

$1.98 for $3 **French Coatings,** Duvetyne, Velour and Coatelle materials in the most brilliant spring shades for wraps or coats.

Our READY-TO-WEAR of Special Interest To Children

Children's DRESSES
Women that are interested in Children's Dresses are specially invited to call and look through our lines of Children's Dresses just received in White or colored; you will find an endless variety of both kinds for ages from 2 to 14 years old. Prices range 48c up to ... $18.50

Children's Spring Coats
Special for two days, one big lot of Children's Spring Coats made of a handsome quality Pongee, lined. This is a washable Coat and worth considerably more than we ask. Wednesday and Thursday at only $1.39

Children's SPRING COATS
Another lot of Children's Spring Coats, made of an all Wool Serge in Black and Navy, with a handsome White Collar, fancy button and a belt effect, regular $3.00 Coat, special for Wednesday and Thursday only at each ... $2.45

Good Evening!

WE CALL YOUR ATTENTION TO A FEW GROCERY SPECIALS

Prunes, choice Pelile, per pound 6c
Picnic Hams, Armour's fancy, per pound 14c
Ginger Snaps, fresh baked, per pound . 5¾c
Broken Rice, per pound only 3¾c
Coffee, Midway brand, per pound 14c
Broken Spaghetti, per pound at 3¾c

NO TELEPHONE ORDERS ACCEPTED ON THESE ITEMS AT THESE PRICES.

April Sale, Go-Carts



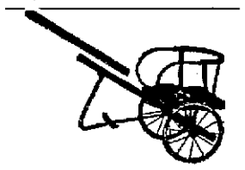
$3.38 for this one motion Go-Cart, collapsible Go-cart, upholstered and Hood, attachable rubber tire wheels. A regular $4.98 value.



$7.98 for the No. 65 Go-Cart, steel body, inclosed sides, full collapsible, 5-8 tire, a regular $10.00 value.



$11.50 for fine Pullman Reed Go-Cart, Repp or upholstered, shellac or baronial finish, enameled gears to match. A regular $20 value.



98c for Child's Sulky, with Rubber tires, Oak handle, Painted Red. A regular $1.50 value.



$13.75 for this Pullman English Carriage, ball-bearing nutless wooden wheels, Auto Hood with storm shields, one of the most beautiful carts made, a regular $20.00 value.

April Sale, Wall Paper



Large assortment of patterns with borders and ceilings to match, the biggest values we have offered this year, tomorrow at roll 3c

Kitchen and Bedroom Papers, in Blacks, Granite, Floral and Stripe designs and wanted colors, special at the roll 5½c

Heavy varnished Gold combination Papers with 9 to 18 inch borders to match, dark and medium colorings, good designs, at the roll 9c

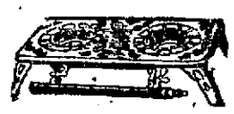
5,600 rolls varnished Tile and Untarnishable Papers. All are 30c values, at the roll 11c

5,000 rolls of Two-tones, in shadow stripes, figured designs in art and crafts, etc., 30c values, roll 18c

April Sale, Housecleaning and Summer Goods



49c for 100 square ft. Poultry Netting, 2 inch mesh, size 1 to 6 ft., value 75c.



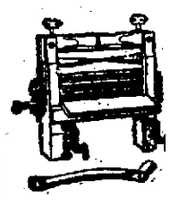
98c for 2 Burner Hot Plate, made of heavy Cast Iron. Good gas saving burner, value $1.50.



$3.48 for 2 Burner Oil Stove, Blue flame, strictly odorless, value $4.00.



69c for Boy's Iron Wagon, well made, medium size, value $1.



$1.79 for Clothes Wringers, wood frame, value $2.50.



19c for Springling Can, 4 qt. size, made of heavy tin, value 30c.



$1.25 for Square Hamper, with wood bottom, all willow, value $2.00.

DOERFLINGER'S.
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Special Sale of MILLINERY THURSDAY

We are offering in our Millinery Department for Thursday extreme reductions on Spring Hats

TRIMMED HATS
Trimmed Hats of the latest and smartest patterns, both imported and domestic models. Hats selling usually up to $6.00, at the special price of

$3.98

UNTRIMMED SHAPES
Untrimmed Shapes in a wonderful variety of styles at each $1.48

ROSES
A gorgeous assortment of Roses, special at
19c, 39c and 49c

U. P. STAFF MAN GETS BIG SCOOP

Correspondent's Code Messages Slipped Out of Mexico City Only Uncensored News

(Editor's Note — The following item was received today by The Tribune from its press service, the United Press. The note to editors which accompanied the story on the wire may be of interest. It follows: "Editors: Hereafter we will use Shepherd's name. This has been impossible heretofore on account of personal danger to him.")

Credit for the first big "scoop" of the war belongs to William G. Shepherd, staff correspondent of the United Press in Mexico City. Last Friday he succeeded in getting past the censor a message written in code which brought to the United States the first announcement that Huerta desired war. Shepherd's message, translated, read:

"General Huerta wants a declaration of war. This is his object in the present negotiations over the Tampico incident. He had been in almost constant conference with the cabinet and congress. It became known today that it is now his desire to bring about warfare between Mexico City and the United States on the theory that it will solidify the Mexican people in spite of his otherwise doomed government."

Developments of Saturday, Sunday and today have completely borne out Shepherd's code message.

William G. Shepherd served through the Madero campaign as a staff correspondent of the United Press, going into Mexico City with Madero and covering his election and inauguration. He then returned to the United States, and following an assignment to cover the Olympic games at Stockholm, was detailed for a year on staff correspondent assignments in Europe. He was recalled after the assassination of Madero and sent to Mexico where he has had charge of the United Press forces up to the present time. For reasons which are obvious the use of Shepherd's name heretofore has been impossible on account of the watch kept by Huerta on the work of American correspondents. Shepherd will remain in Mexico City as long as Charge O'Shaughnessy or any of the American officials remain. He will then join the American forces nearest the scene of action.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO COUNTY COURT.

State of Wisconsin, County Court La Crosse County, ss.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the third Tuesday, being the 21st day of April, A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Mary Proksch to admit to probate the last will and testament of Theresia Proksch, late of the Town of Greenfield, in said County of La Crosse, deceased.

By order of the Court.
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

W. F. & A. C. WOLFE,
Attorneys for Petitioner.

Wigg—Your reporter friend seems to use very high flown language. Wagg—Yes, he claims to have covered the first aviation meet ever held in this country.

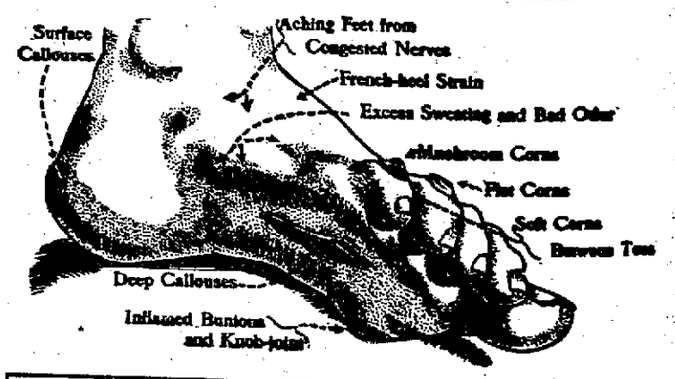
And many a man who has the cheek to raise whiskers doesn't even try it.

NEWS OF BATTLE OF VERA CRUZ ENTHUSES MAJESTIC AUDIENCE

When it was announced from the stage of the Majestic theater last night that American marines had occupied the city of Vera Cruz after an encounter with the Mexican federals in which 100 of the latter were killed, the audience started prolonged cheering.

The La Crosse Tribune's "extras" telling in detail the facts of the Vera Cruz fight, were distributed throughout the audience.

When enthusiasm was at its height the orchestra struck up the "Star Spangled Banner," standing as they played—and the audience, catching the spirit, with one accord, arose and sang the song to its finish.



Tells Positive Cure For all Foot Troubles

Science has proven that nearly all foot troubles originate from a common cause; that of injured tissues. The following information will be welcomed by thousands of victims of daily foot torture. No matter how many patent medicines you have tried in vain, this treatment, well known to foot doctors, will do the work. "Dissolve two tablespoonfuls of Calocide compound in a basin of warm water. Soak the feet for a full fifteen minutes, gently rubbing the sore parts." The effects are marvelous. All pain disappears instantly and the feet feel simply delightful. Corns and callouses can be peeled right off. Bunions, aching feet and sweaty smelly feet get immediate relief. Use this treatment a week and your foot troubles will be a thing of the past. Calocide works through the pores and removes the cause. Don't waste time. Get it at once. Any druggist has Calocide in stock or will get it from his wholesale house. A Twenty-five cent box is said to be enough to cure the worst feet. Don't be persuaded to take something else instead. Calocide is prepared only at laboratories of Medical Formula Co., of Dayton, Ohio, and Chicago, Ill.

START PLANS FOR COMMENCEMENT

TOMAH, Wis., April 22.—Plans have been started for the commencement of the local high school. Pres. Silas Evans of the Ripon college, will deliver the commencement address and Rev. I. G. Smith of this city, has been selected to deliver the invocation on that evening. The class play is "She Stoops to Conquer" by Oliver Goldsmith. Those who have been selected for the speaking parts of this play are Donald Compton, Raymond Reinhard, George Nichols, William Nuzum, Robert Murray, Charles Wright, George Johnson, Luella Reynolds, Mabel Baker and Hattie Borchert.

The program for class day has not as yet been given out. A class of forty-six will graduate from the high school this year, which is the largest in the history of the school.

There are several buildings and residences being erected this year and it promises to increase the growth of the city. Work is progressing on the building of the Franz Bros.' and the foundation has been laid for a residence of Mr. Ralph Taft which will be completed before the summer months.

The steam roller and stone crusher, which were used here last summer when new roads were being built, were shipped away on Tuesday.

Nearly all the concrete mixers belonging to the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway company have been shipped to points west after being over hauled and painted in the Tomah shops.

E. J. Hentington of Chicago is visiting relatives here.

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WILSON STANDS PAT AT VERA CRUZ
DRAFT CALL FOR 250,000 VOLUNTEERS
LA CROSSE OFFICER RECEIVES ORDERS

U. S. ON VERGE OF WAR WITH MEXICO FACTIONS UNITED FOR STRUGGLE

WASHINGTON, April 23.—With warlike preparations in progress on the Mexican border, diplomatic relations between the countries severed, General Carranza strongly intimating a constitutionalist alliance with Huerta, and a call for 250,000 American volunteers in process of preparation, the United States tonight stands upon the verge of war with a united Mexico, the declaration of which by General Huerta is hourly anticipated.

The situation seems to be exactly that which the United Press, in its secret code message smuggled through from Mexico City last Friday, warned President Wilson that the crafty dictator was attempting to bring about.

With this crisis pending, the feverish activity in administration circles at Washington is not so preoccupying as to bar consideration of grave and well-founded fears for the safety of Americans in the City of Mexico, where following the order expelling Charge O'Shaughnessy, Huerta seized the arms and ammunition in the American embassy, intended for its defense in case of rioting. The war department is plainly worried over the meagerness of information coming through from Mexico City, for it is realized that were the crisis there to result in a massacre of foreigners, the censorship would probably prevent news of the tragedy reaching this country.

That a conflict which, although its outcome can never be in doubt, may take years of time and cost thousands of lives, has actually begun is the opinion of military experts whose knowledge of Mexico furnishes a basis for accurate analysis.

Passports to Algara

Passports for Senor Algara and two other members of the Mexican embassy were sent by special messenger at 3:13 this afternoon to the Mexican diplomatic headquarters here. This was the last official note and the final breaking of all relations with the Huerta regime. All will leave tonight for Canada, the state department was advised.

The announcement that Charge O'Shaughnessy had been handed his passports was made at the state department about 3:20 this morning. Previously the president, Secretary of War Garrison and Secretary of the Navy Daniels had discussed it.

A plan of action based upon the condition that would of necessity follow O'Shaughnessy quitting the country was formulated. Its outline was carefully guarded so that it would not reach Mexico City.

Restore Embargo

The embargo on arms to the constitutionalists has been secretly restored by order of Secretary Bryan, who accepted the recommendation of the general council of defense.

At present there is no intention of making public announcement of the change. The border patrol will act seemingly on its own initiative and customs agents at ports of export will utilize the red tape of the service to delay movements of munitions as long as possible.

It is reliably reported here that Huerta and Carranza have already been in communication. Officials say they expect Huerta will issue an amnesty proclamation couched in the broadest terms, holding out the olive branch to the constitutionalists and demanding that they present a united front to the common enemy, the "gringoes."

Will Combine

As soon as this is issued it is believed the constitutionalists will agree temporarily to forget their differences and combine against the United States. It is expected an arrangement will be proposed by Carranza and Villa whereby they will operate in the territory they now hold while Huerta acts in central and southern Mexico.

It is realized that Huerta's strength will be immeasurably increased if he can get the co-operation of Villa's victorious hordes, and it is expected that as soon as any orders are issued for moving the army among the first will be one rushing all of the regiments now in the army posts of the north and the coast artillery equipped as infantrymen, to the border for possible action.

Can Call Guards

The national guard likewise can be sent to Texas as, although the president cannot order the guard out of the country, it is subject to his orders within our territorial limits and would prove a great factor in guarding the border and preventing a Mexican raid.

PROHIBITS EXPORT OF ARMS ON BORDER

Neither Constitutionalists Nor Federals to Get Equipment via El Paso to Juarez

EL PASO, Tex., April 23.—Acting on instructions from Washington, Col. C. P. Hatfield, commanding the Second cavalry brigade at Fort Bliss, at 11 a. m. today notified Collector of Customs Cobb to prohibit the exportation of arms and ammunition to constitutionalists or other persons through the El Paso port to Juarez or through the El Paso customs district at any point.

The constitutionalists have a shipment of 150,000 rounds of ammunition due to arrive today and also have orders for 1,500,000 cartridges enroute to El Paso.

UNCLE SAM HAS PLENTY OF CASH TO CARRY ON WAR

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Cash in Uncle Sam's war chest was tallied up today. A special war tax will not be resorted to, except possibly on liquor. The government is amply supplied with funds.

Secretary McAdoo reported that the treasury is in fine shape for any war expense. It has been decided that no changes in revenue laws to provide more money are needed. McAdoo has tentatively proposed that if an extra tax is needed later that it be levied on sweet wines and fortified brandies. Such a tax, he said, would produce $160,000,000 annually.

GEN. CARRANZA WILL JOIN HIS FORCES WITH HUERTA AGAINST UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON, April 23.—It is a practical certainty that General Carranza, rebel chief, will join with Huerta against the United States.

Carranza last night wired to President Wilson a statement that he regarded the occupation of Vera Cruz as an act of hostility toward the Mexican nation, and demanded that the marines now holding the city be withdrawn.

President Wilson refused. In a statement issued this morning he reiterated his assertion that the United States is making war upon Huerta, not upon the Mexican people, and asserted the right of the nation to enforce its demands upon whom it saw fit.

The vital paragraph in Carranza's message follows:

"The invasion of our territory and the permanency of your forces in the port of Vera Cruz are a violation of our rights and will drag us into an unequal war with dignity, but which until today we desire to avoid * * * Huerta is a culprit and his individual acts never will be sufficient to involve the Mexican nation in a disastrous war with the United States, because he is not the legitimate organ of our national sovereignty."

The diplomatic language in which Carranza's note is couched is interpreted by the administration officials to mean that the rebel chief intends to combine with Huerta, and make common cause against the United States. Carranza in his statement, declares that the occupation of Vera Cruz was an act of hostility toward the Mexican nation.

President Wilson had especially disclaimed any act of hostility to the Mexican people, particularizing Gen. Huerta as the object of the American operations to secure reprisal for offenses at Tampico and elsewhere against the American flag.

Hoped for Rebel Silence

Consequently the Washington government had hoped the constitutionalists would remain silent and not interject themselves in the imbroglio. The Carranza letter, however, confirmed the fears of many officials that the constitutionalists might side with Huerta.

The note of General Carranza was privately interpreted by officials as an open threat. His demand for withdrawal of America nforces from Vera Cruz was a grave indication that United States troops might be forced not only to fight Huerta's army of impressed men, but the victorious rabble of Villa.

Wilson's Stand

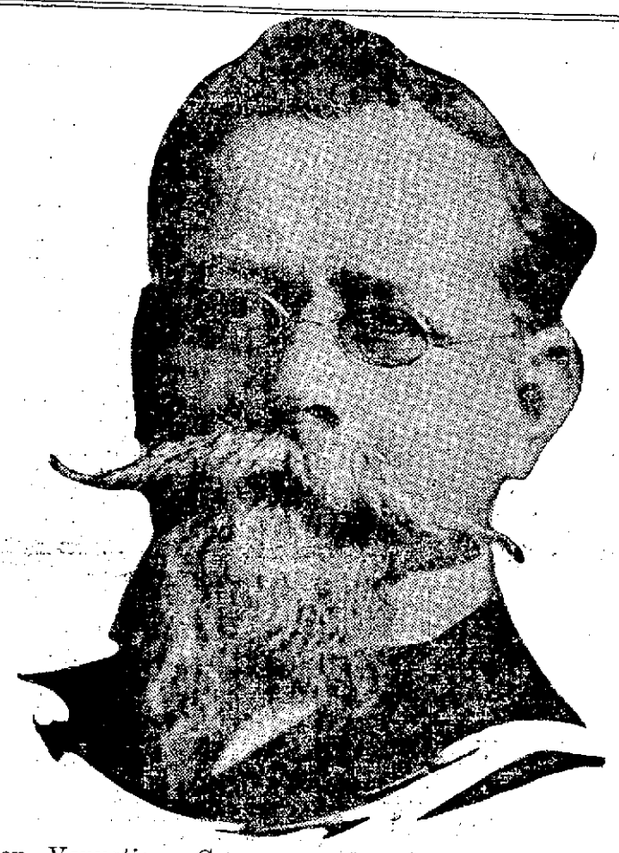
The president made the following comment on Carranza's statement:

"I wish to reiterate with the greatest earnestness the desire and intention of this government to respect in every possible way the sovereignty and independence of the people of Mexico. The feeling and intention of the government in this matter is not based upon policy. They go much deeper than that. They are based upon a genuine friendship for the Mexican people and a profound interest in the re-establishment of their constitutional system. Whatever unhappy circumstances or necessities may arise, this object will be held strictly in view and pursued with consistent purpose so far as this government is concerned.

Must Punish Huetra

"But we are dealing with facts.

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Gen. Venustiano Carranza who as constitutionalist leader defies United States and will join forces with Huerta.

EIGHT KILLED AT VERA CRUZ WHEN CITY IS OCCUPIED

Total of Twelve Men in American Uniforms Have Died in Chasing the Mexicans from Port

EXPECT MAAS TO TRY RECAPTURE

He Is Fifteen Miles from City with 1,000 Men and Is Expecting Reinforcements

LOST TRAIN GETS IN SAFELY

Cars with Refugees from Mexico City Finally Arrive Unharmed at Vera Cruz

BY BERNARD RUCKER
(Staff Correspondent United Press.)

VERA CRUZ, April 23.—Vera Cruz was quiet early today with the armed forces of the United States preserving discipline among the city officials as well as the private citizens, but the marines and bluejackets who have faced the bullets of snipers for two days do not believe their work is near completion.

Twelve Killed

Twelve men wearing the uniform of the United States have been killed and thirty-nine have been wounded in the street fighting of Tuesday and Wednesday.

An attack on this important seaport in an effort to drive out the Americans would not surprise the men here.

General Maas, military governor of Vera Cruz, who fled from the city

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ORDER MC ARTHUR TO GET MEN FOR HOSPITAL CORPS

Regimental Surgeon Is Instructed to Secure Enlistments to Augment Those at Viroqua

MILITIA APPOINTS CUSTODIANS

Companies M and B Name Men Who Will Care for Company Property in Case of Call

RECRUITING FULL WAR STRENGTH

Holway Says Wisconsin Guard Will Be on War Footing in Few Days and Ready to Entrain

MAJOR D. S. M'ARTHUR, LA CROSSE, SURGEON OF THE THIRD REGIMENT, WISCONSIN NATIONAL GUARD, TODAY RECEIVED ORDERS FROM ADJJUTANT GENERAL ORLANDO HOLWAY TO ENLIST SIXTEEN MEN FOR THE HOSPITAL CORPS TO SUPPLEMENT THE HOSPITAL CORPS AT VIROQUA, WIS.

CAPTAINS BRADLEY AND FOWLER OF B AND M COMPANIES TODAY RECEIVED ORDERS TO RECRUIT TO FULL WAR STRENGTH AND TO PREPARE THE LOCAL ARMORIES SO, IN CASE THE COMPANIES ARE CALLED OUT AND HAVE TO AWAIT MOVING ORDERS, THE MEN

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BATTLE ON BORDER IS IMMINENT AS U. S. SOLDIERS ENTRENCH

TODAY'S DEVELOPMENTS IN THE MEXICAN SITUATION

President Wilson issues statement diplomatically warning Carranza and others that they will join Huerta in opposing American demands at their peril.

Grave fears for Americans in Mexico City.

Diplomatic relations with Mexico severed.

Charge O'Shaughnessy in Mexico City given passports by Huerta.

Charge Algara in Washington called to state department and handed passports by Secretary of State Bryan.

United States refuses to evacuate Vera Cruz as asked by Carranza.

Unofficial embargo placed on the shipment of arms into northern Mexico.

Total of eight Americans killed in the capture of Vera Cruz reported in dispatches from Admiral Fletcher.

Consular agents ordered to spare no expense in getting Americans out of Mexico.

Rear Admiral Mayo at Tampico reports all quiet in that city.

Warlike preparations at Tia Juana, across California border.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The war department has completed the draft of a call for 250,000 volunteers. It will not be issued until necessary, but most of the officials believe the necessity will soon arrive.

No volunteer organizations not connected with the regular militia will be considered by the war department for Mexican service.

This was made clear today to several Massachusetts militia officers, who accompanied by Senator Weeks, called upon Chief of Staff Gen. Wotherspoon.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 23.—The Mexican federal commander at Tia Juana, Mexico, 18 miles south of here, today ordered all non-combatants to leave there, evidently anticipating a fight with the United States troops sent to the border from Fort Rosecrans. The women and children are being taken to Ensenada and all of the men are being forced into the service of the federal army.

United States troops, just across the border, are throwing up entrenchments at San Ysidro. Captain Condon, commanding the United States soldiers, announced that all women and children will be ordered out of San Ysidro today.

The Tia Juana garrison was reinforced by the arrival of 150 troops from Ensenada today.

The feeling between Mexicans and Americans here runs high. After a number of clashes between United States sailors and Mexicans, Mexican Consul Barron issued hand bills urging all Mexicans to refrain from demonstrations or war arguments. The police have stopped the sale of all firearms to Mexicans.

The torpedo boat flotilla sailed at 10 o'clock for Mexican waters. Its destination is Mazatlan.

The American flag over San Isidro school was taken down today following a fist fight between trustees, who were divided over its removal. It was feared the Mexicans would fire on the school house if the flag remained. Capt. Page, commanding the United States troops at Tecate, San Diego county, has reported the Mexicans have evacuated Tecate.

It is reported the Mexicans are marching to Tia Juana to join forces there.

EIGHT MORE KILLED NINETEEN WOUNDED IN FIGHT YESTERDAY

WASHINGTON, April 23.—In a telegram received at 3 a. m. today at the navy department from Rear Admiral Badger, the following list of casualties in fighting Wednesday at Vera Cruz was reported.

DEAD:

Marine corps:

RUFUS EDWARD PERCY

SEAMEN:

L. O. FRIED.

W. I. WATSON.

F. T. DELOWRY.

A. S. STREAM.

C. A. SMITH.

H. G. DEFABIR, gunner's mate.

FRANK DEVORICK.

SERIOUSLY WOUNDED:

Marine corps:

Lieut. J. P. Laren, ordinance officer battleship New Hampshire

SLIGHTLY INJURED:

Sergt. M. Fitzgerald; Private J. Peoples; Private A. G. Ebel; Private H. E. Holsinger.

Bluejackets:

H. Pullian, fireman; C. M. Guilloan, seaman; W. Ponkowski, seaman; H. J. Kapplen, seaman; W. M. Bass, seaman; C. L. Nodsiek, seaman; J. L. Bennett, coxswain; K. Christy, seaman; H. E. Botile, seaman; J. Cantwell, no rating; A. E. Doe, seaman; .... Robinson, seaman; L. W. Taylor, no rating; F. N. Kalmers, no rating.

NO OPINION NOW

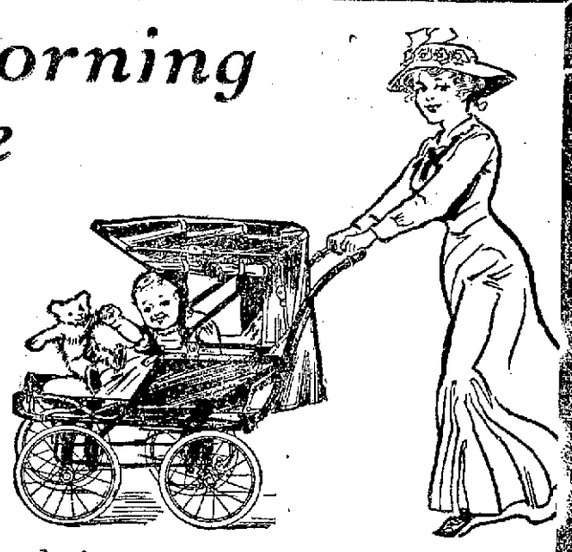
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 23.—No opinion in the Illinois woman suffrage test case will be rendered until June, the supreme court announced today on adjournment.

MILLER FOR SENATE

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 23.—Hugh T. Miller of Columbus was today nominated by the republican state convention for United States senate.

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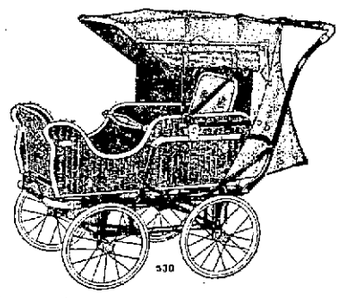
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THE TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

BONNIE LADDIE

BY MOLLY M'MASTER

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The court of the apartment house was unusually quiet.

Doris Vane marveled at this fact while she sat beside her open window. She was glad of the stillness because it gave her a moment to concentrate on the situation that was troubling her. She was contemplating the advisability of marrying Edward Kelly, and the thought had its drawbacks and its charm.

Doris had met the society man at a reception. She herself had been the soloist, and Kelly had sought her acquaintance.

"I have everything to offer you," he had said not ten minutes earlier when he had left her at the door of her small apartment. "You need struggle no longer with your music. I will lavish everything on you that money can buy."

"I doubt if you could buy me happiness." Doris had answered in a musing voice.

And that was the question she was trying to answer as she sat in the darkness and stillness of the court. "Certainly it would be as easy to love a man with money as one without," she decided.

Out of the silence there came the appealing cry of an infant. Doris raised her head to a listening attitude. Edward Kelly was forgotten instantly. There was a baby crying somewhere in that court.

"I hope some one will go to it soon," thought Doris. She listened, all attention. The night was warm and the windows open in most of the apartments. She decided that the child's cry came from the room next her own boudoir. A fire escape practically joined the two rooms.

The crying continued and the small voice began a most imploring call for "Mamma—Mamma, dear."

Doris became tense waiting for the footsteps of the mother that would assuredly rush to her baby's side. To Doris there was nothing quite so wonderful as a child. She had often wondered if she would not spend every waking and sleepinf hour in adoration of one of her own.

Heavy footsteps in the room so near her own stopped her thoughts and arrested her ear. A deep, masculine voice was attempting to console the awakened baby. There was a clumsy, unaccustomed kind of a note in the man's efforts that seemed only to raise fresh outbursts. That the man was on the verge of distraction was evident.

Doris laughed a trifle hysterically so great was her desire to step across that fire escape, take the baby in her arms and rock it to sleep.

As a last resort the man began singing. Doris caught a swift breath. The man's voice was so big and gruff that she feared the baby would roar its terror to the entire neighborhood.

When she heard the words of the terrible little song that was serving as a lullaby Doris shook with mirthless laughter. "There's a Bully Gone to Rest!" That seemed to be the only ditty known to the man. He repeated it time and again to the thud of heavy boots.

The small, tenderly sweet voice of the child demanded other music, "Rock-a-by-Baby, Bonnie Laddie—Bonnie Laddie!"

Doris choked back the lump in her throat. She knew not whether the piteous appeal of the baby for its lullaby or the efforts of the man to satisfy it roused her emotion.

She could stand it no longer and stepped out of her window and across the fire escape to that other apartment.

"Shss!" she cautioned, peering into the candle lit room and discerning the man just about to exit hurriedly. "I will sing the baby to sleep." She stepped within the darkened room, and leaning over the crib crooned softly to the baby.

The man, startled out of his senses, stood looking and listening to what seemed to be an angel visitant.

Finally he found voice to remark, "His mother said to give him a bottle if he woke up. I was just going to get it."

"Put it in a tin of hot water for a few minutes—until a drop of milk is warm on your wrist," Doris ordered softly, and continued her singing.

"Bonnie Laddie!" demanded the small voice and Doris felt glad that she was Scotch, and that the baby's command was one she could fulfill.

When David Rogers returned with the bottle the baby was dozing off and the girl took it gently from his hand while she sang "My Bonnie Highland Laddie" in the most beautiful voice in the world.

Relieved that a woman had come to his rescue, awed at the manner of her coming, spellbound at the picture she presented there beside the crib in the candlelight and thrilled to the soul because her warm fingers had touched his when she took the bottle, David seemed as one bereft of the power of speech.

Doris arranged the bottle in a slanting position that the baby might drain it easily. After that she cast a long wondering look at the beautiful pansylike face, motioned David to quit the room softly and went noiselessly out and into her own room.

In the light of the next day she viewed her act as human. She would do the same thing over again should a baby's cry summon her. Doris felt that any woman with a heart in her breast would have rendered like service under the same conditions.

"The poor man," she reflected, as she recalled the look of distress on the masculine face, 'would have lost his mind in another moment."

During the day David Rogers was haunted by the girl who had come so mysteriously to his rescue. He had told his sister about the experience, merely because he half doubted the happening. Perhaps he had dreamed it; it might have been an hallucination brought on by his fearful desire for a woman's help when the baby had awakened and he was alone in the apartment with him. He began to hope, as the days flew by, that his sister and her husband would go out again for the evening and that the baby would be left in his charge—that he would waken and that the wonder girl would appear once more.

If her own face haunted David Rogers, Doris was in turn possessed by a longing to see the pansy-like face of Bonnie Laddie. In the elevator she found him one day and his mother was with him.

"Oh!" she cried, excitedly, "I thought I was never going to see my bonnie laddie again!" A moment later Doris and Mrs. Lane were in deep conversation.

"David did not tell me a thing about your kindness," ejaculated the young mother. "I wonder why."

"Perhaps your husband was under the impression that he had dreamed of my visit," suggested Doris, the while she made friends with the baby boy.

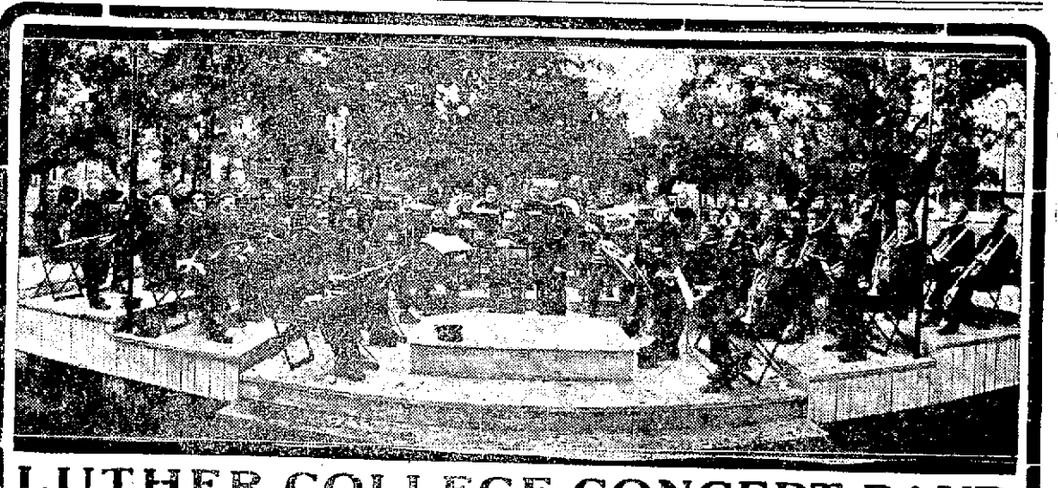
"My husband! It was my unmarried brother whom you rescued," Mrs. Lane said with a laugh.

Thus it was that David Rogers, coming home from the office toward 6 o'clock, found his small nephew having the time of his life with a very lovely some one who resembled the girl of the candlelight. She was sitting on the floor of his sister's drawing room, and her golden head was bent over a great tower of blocks that she was building for an unusually bonnie laddie. He was laughing even as David wanted to laugh because the girl was actually within his sight.

"Then you were not an hallucination?" he said, smiling frankly into Doris Vane's eyes. "I have been afraid you were." He hoisted the youngster high in his arms and returned him to Doris. "No—please, do not get up. I want to feast my eyes on a dream come true."

A brilliant color flew into the cheeks of Doris and later, after a most wonderful evening, she sat beside her window looking into the still night. She was not pondering on the advisability of marrying Kelly. It was David Rogers of whom she thought.

That Tennessee man who is said to have invented odorless whisky will no doubt receive a vote of everlasting thanks from some married men who vote in this great and glorious country.



LUTHER COLLEGE CONCERT BAND
La Crosse Theatre, Sunday Eve., April 26

TICKETS 50c, 75c and $1.00

NO DISTURBANCE ON THE BORDER

All Quiet Along Line Despite Expectation that Rebels Will Line Up with Huerta

EL PASO, Texas, April 23.—Despite the letter General Venustiano Carranza sent to President Wilson, indicating that the United States would be compelled to fight a united Mexico, Juarez and El Paso are unruffled today and there was no sign of a disturbance. There is a strong under current of bitter feeling, however, and the greatest care is being exercised by the authorities of both cities to prevent any clash.

Perfect quiet today marked the military establishments on both sides of the river. The publication last night of General Carranza's letter cast a damper on the great reception being given in honor of Col. H. R. R. Loughborough of the Twentieth United States infantry. It caused most of the officers to leave for their homes.

Elfrino M. Franco, editor of "El Libre," a radical Huertista daily, who has been spreading sedition here by calling upon Mexicans to arm and defend their country against an American invasion, and by denouncing Villa and Carranza and urging constitutionalist soldiers to desert to Huerta, was arrested last night. His printing plant has been seized and is under guard.

Six hundred Spanish Americans, Mexicans by blood, but citizens of the United States, met at the court house last night and adopted resolutions tendering their services to the American government "to do anything whatsoever we may be called upon to do to preserve peace and dignity of the city and county and to serve the United States in whatever capacity it may require."

STORE INCORPORATES

Articles of incorporation for the Berg & Jones department Store Co. of Rockland were filed with the register of deeds this morning. The capital stock of the new firm is $20,000. Following are the parties of the corporation: N. C. Berg, S. R. Jones, W. O. Jones, Thomas Davis and Albert Onstine.

Carelessness is nearly always the most costly item in an expense account.

WRITING NECESSARY TO JOIN THE ARMY

Bernard Egan, La Crosse recruiting officer, gives the following list of requirements to join the United States army:

Height, five feet four inches; weight, 120 pounds; hearing and sight, normal; ability to read and write the English language; first citizenship papers. Any form of disease, any physical defect such as a missing finger or toe, lack of ordinary intelligence or flat footedness will bar applicants. The most common trouble discovered in applicants, he declares, is defective eyes.

NO TUBERCULAR MILK

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—It is the law of the state that cream from milk taken from tubercular cows may not be sold in Wisconsin. Attorney General Owen gave this ruling to Dairy and Food Commissioner Emery. It will operate to abrogate a proposed rule of the state livestock sanitary board allowing cream from such cows to be sold.

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EATON TO LECTURE AT NEARBY CITY

Noted Speaker to Be at Prairie du Chien Next Sunday for Two Lectures

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN, Wis., April 23.—E. L. Eaton, D. D., a noted Chatauqua lecturer, is to speak at the M. E. church next Sunday both morning and evening and will also lecture at 2:30 in the afternoon.

Booker T. Washington, head of the famous Tuskegee institute in Alabama, will be in the city next Monday afternoon, April 27th and will speak at the Metropolitan theater in the interests of his school work.

The pupils and teachers of the Keewatin school arrived in the city Sunday and this week resume their regular work.

The fortieth annual ball given by the city fire department will take place this year on Friday evening, this week, at the Grand opera hall.

Work was commenced this week on enlarging and remodeling that part of the Cecka block occupied by the Cecka and Robeshek shoe store. The building will be extended south to twice its present length and divided on the first floor into two store rooms. The upper story will be finished in a large hall and the entire building renewed with brick.

Rev. W. A. Munday of Lancaster, will hold services next Sunday at the Trinity Episcopal church at 8 and 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Mrs. J. D. Day and sister, Miss Hazel Neston left Tuesday for Dubuque, where Mrs. Day will visit for several weeks at the home of her parents.

David Ballentine of Bloomington, was in the city Monday, making the trip by automobile.

Mrs. William Bockh is a patient at the Prairie du Chien sanitarium.

The Wisconsin Valley league oratoraical and declamatory contest takes place at Boscobel Friday evening. Prairie du Chien high school will be represented by the Misses Alice Stuart and Beatrice Speck and by Charles Phillip.

VISIT WESTERN PRISONS

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—President Ralph E. Smith and Secretary Matt Tappins of the state board of control have left on a trip to visit prisons in the middle west, with especial attention to the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan. They will return May 1. The board will meet May 5.

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Mother—What are you doing, Harry? Harry—I'm countin'. You told me when I got mad to count a hundred. Mother—Yes; so I did. Harry—Well, I've counted 237, and I'm madder'n when I started.—Chicago News.

CHEER WAR NEWS AT EAGLE FEAST

Most Stirring Demonstration of Patriotism Witnessed in City Takes Place at Banquet

500 STAND AND SING NATIONAL AIR

Judge Karel Presents Fred Hartwell and Chas. Dittman with Life Memberships in Order

A demonstration of patriotism, the most stirring witnessed in La Crosse since the Mexican war appeared over the horizon, took place at the banquet which officially opened the new Eagles' club rooms, last night, when 500 men rose to their feet, cheering and sang the "Star Spangled Banner" through, after hearing war dispatches.

The demonstration followed the reading of Tribune dispatches from Vera Cruz, recounting that eight American fighters had been killed in the occupation of the city. As the bulletin ended there was an instant's silence, and then Orchestra Leader John Kreutz swung his men into the national air. As one man the banqueters rose to their feet, shouting, and broke into the song.

The banquet last night was the most successful function given so far by Aerie 1254. The hall and gallery were crowded to hear the speakers, who included Judge John C. Karel, State President William Armstrong, State Secretary John Nichols, Dr. T. H. McGovern and Local Secretary C. S. Dittman.

A feature of the evening's entertainment was the presentation to Attorney Fred H. Hartwell, the toastmaster last night, and to Secretary Dittman, of life memberships in the order. The presentation was made by Judge Karel. Each of the recipients responded gracefuly to the ovation which followed announcement of the gifts.

STUDENTS TO CELEBRATE

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—Following the announcement that four American marines had been killed in Vera Cruz, a crowd of fifty University of Wisconsin students who intend to enlist, gave a demonstration through the streets of Madison.

There are a lot of cheap men, although the women are blamed for low wages in many fields of endeavor.

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The Mud Palaces Were Beautiful.

Daddy's Bedtime Story — The Fairies' Mudpie Party For The Mud Turtles.

MUD pie making had certainly been very popular of late. Daddy had noticed it, and so he spoke in the evening to Jack and Evelyn about it.

"Have you been making mud pies lately?" he asked.

"Yes, indeed, we have!" said Evelyn. "My dolls say that there is nothing they enjoy so much in the spring as a good mud pie. Do fairies ever make mud pies?"

"Oh, yes," said daddy; "they certainly do! The fairies never miss any games or parties or good times, you know. And they enjoy everything. They had a real mud pie party the other day."

"Did they have any other guests or just themselves?" asked Jack.

"It was a very big party, really," said daddy. "They gave it in the first place for the mud turtles. But they invited the frogs, the toads and some of the lizard family as well."

"My, it must have been a big party!" said Evelyn.

"Yes," continued daddy; "it was a very big party. The fairies hadn't had a very big party for some time, and they thought it would be lots of fun to have this one.

"They also thought it would be nice to give it for the mud turtles. They thought the mud turtles were very quaint and interesting. Besides that, they had never heard of a party being given in honor of the mud turtles, and they were sure it would please them.

"Everything was in readiness for the party before the guests arrived. The party was given near a swamp, so there was just loads of mud.

"They had delicious looking mud pies made up in the center of the swamp, one for each guest, and with a little present attached.

"But what pleased the guests more than anything else were the wonderful decorations the fairies had made.

"There were palaces, castles, gardens with terraces and parks. There were forts with soldiers and ships with sailors on board. And all these things were made out of mud. Really they were very marvelous, and all the turtles and toads and lizards thought the fairies certainly could make the most wonderful fairyland, no matter whether they made it with green moss and flowers or with plain, ordinary mud, for really the mud palaces were the most gorgeous you can imagine.

"And the fairies felt their party had been a success because the mud turtles were satisfied with the party given in their honor and were really, if the truth were told, just as proud as peacocks that the fairies had done so much for them."

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WHAT CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION DOES

(BY J. M. WYLIE)

The state civil service commission has recently come in for its share of damning as one of those "useless state bureaus," and it has variously been called a figurehead and a job trust, to sustain the assertion that state jobs are still filled with political favorites and incompetents. So Secretary J. A. Hazelwood, who happens to be also a prominent democrat, was asked what his commission was supposed to be for, anyway, and if it was accomplishing its purpose. This is his reply:

The Wisconsin civil service commission seeks to eliminate politics, religion, friendship and relationship as considerations for state service, and insert in lieu thereof merit and fitness for the work to be performed. In the early history of our government the scholar, statesman and politician were one and the same person. The merit system was truly put into operation during the early history of our country without civil service provisions. George Washington selected his subordinates wholly on the basis of fitness for the duties to be performed. He refused to appoint relatives to public office. Jefferson went further and reluctantly appointed friends to positions in public service.

The spoils system came into existence during the days of Andrew Jackson. During the first twenty-five years of our nation's history there were but thirty changes or dismissals of employes in public service. During "Old Hickory's" first term there were 2200 removed from public service owing to political beliefs, and at the behest of friends Andrew Jackson appointed henchmen in their places. Inefficiency in public service resulted.

WISCONSIN FELT THE BALEFUL INFLUENCE OF THE SPOILS SYSTEM FOR MANY YEARS. AT EACH CHANGE OF STATE OFFICERS AND CHANGE OF SUPERINTENDENTS OF OUR INSTITUTIONS THERE FOLLOWED A GENERAL DISMISSAL OF EMPLOYES. EFFICIENT ONES WERE DISMISSED AND INEFFICIENT ONES TAKEN INTO THE STATE SERVICE. Frequent changes in employes in any service cannot be otherwise than detrimental.

All the large cities of the country and most of the states of the Union have civil service provisions for the selection of subordinate employes. THE CIVIL SERVICE LAW IN WISCONSIN WAS ENACTED BY ALMOST UNANIMOUS VOTE OF THE LEGISLATURE IN 1905. THE APPOINTING AUTHORITIES OF THE STATE ARE NO LONGER TOOLS OF POLITICAL FRIENDS IN THE MATTER OF THE SELECTION OF THEIR ASSISTANTS. PRIOR TO THE ENACTMENT OF THE CIVIL SERVICE LAW MANY OF THE APPOINTING AUTHORITIES WERE MERELY PUPPETS JERKED BY UNSEEN STRINGS WHEN IT CAME TO A MATTER OF APPOINTING PEOPLE FOR STATE SERVICE.

Men in public life are coming to realize more and more that they are placed under great trusts and responsibilities, and no man has the right to use his trust for his own selfish ends. Graft and corruption have resulted in many of our municipalities on account of the indifference on the part of the public towards the selection of public officials.

THE WISCONSIN CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION HAS NOW ABOUT 2,500 EMPLOYES UNDER ITS SUPERVISION. MOST OF THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN TAKEN INTO STATE SERVICE SINCE 1906 HAVE BEEN EMPLOYED AFTER PASSING COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS. PUBLIC SENTIMENT IN WISCONSIN IS BACK OF THE CIVIL SERVICE WORK. ANY CITIZEN IN THE STATE WHO HAS THE ABILITY AND DESIRE, HAS A RIGHT TO SERVE THE PUBLIC IF HE BE THE BEST QUALIFIED FOR THE RESPONSIBILITY. The state of Wisconsin is entitled to the best service of the best men and women it can secure for the money it is willing to pay. The best men and women can be held to the highest standards of efficiency, and be made to feel that it is an honor to render public service.

We are a government of men, and we can have no government better than the men who administer it. In the administration of the laws of the state there are positions that require men of large initiative and executive ability; there are others that require only ordinary ability on the part of those called upon to perform the service. This being true, it naturally suggests that great care must be exercised in the selection of men to fill the various positions.

The Wisconsin civil service commission has the work so well organized at the present time that the merit system's usefulness is sure to increase. There is a lot of room for the extension of the system in the state; in fact, APPOINTING AUTHORITIES ARE CONSTANTLY CALLING UPON THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION FOR ITS ASSISTANCE IN THE SELECTION OF EMPLOYES NOT BY LAW PLACED UNDER CIVIL SERVICE. This fact suggests that the commission has the confidence of those in authority to select employes. NO ONE IN WISCONSIN WHO IS SERIOUS WITH HIMSELF DESIRES TO RETURN TO THE OLD SYSTEM OF SELECTING STATE EMPLOYES.

THE ATTACKS MADE UPON THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION DURING THE FORMER YEARS OF ITS EXISTENCE PROVED TO BE UNJUTIFIABLE. THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION HAS UNDOUBTEDLY SUCCESSFULLY ACCOMPLISHED ITS PURPOSE IN SELECTING EFFICIENT MEN AND WOMEN FOR PUBLIC SERVICE. Public sentiment cannot be created anywhere in the state among thinking men unfavorable to the excellent work being carried on by the civil service commission. It is the desire of the representative citizens to extend, enlarge and encourage the work of the civil service commission.

PLAN CLASS MEET

At a meeting of the executive board of the normal athletic association it was decided to hold a class meet on May 16. Besides the junior and senior class teams there will be a team from the physical course and one from the college students. This meet is being held so as to get a line on the men in order that a good team may be developed for the inter-normal meet.

A lot of unhealthy people are found around the celebrated health resorts.

Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

Old-Fashioned

I've eaten round for many years and got along some way,
But I don't hanker much for no huttel or swell cafe.
Of course their cookin' is all right for these here city folk
Who never had no better, but to me it is a joke.
The fine French names they fasten on the grub don't cut no ice;
And then, again, it's really not a matter of the price.
I know of something that beats all their fancy pies and cake—
Then bakin' powder biscuits that my mother used to make.

Of course, that's what they all say and the subject's mighty old.
But it brings back some memories you couldn't buy for gold.
You fellers all remember 'em. Your mother made 'em, too;
It was a simple little trick these high-toned chefs can't do.
I've searched the country over, but I've searched it all in vain,
It somehow seems to strike me I'll ne'er taste their like again.
The cookin' schools ain't graduating pupils who kin bake
Them bakin' powder biscuits like my mother used to make.

Team Work

"How did you manage to see everything in Rome inside of two days?"

"Well, you see, we got up early; my wife went to the shops, my daughter to the picture galleries, and I took in the restaurants. In the evening we compared notes."—Exchange.

No Elevators for Him

Cyrus (entering the sixteenth-floor office of the Syndicate building, perspiring and panting)—Them stairs must be several miles long!

Occupant of Office—Why didn't you come up in one of the elevators there?

Cyrus—Not much! I jes' see one of 'em full o' people fall down that hole there!

His Fish

Cook—The gang has the laugh on Beanbrough.

Frye—What's the idea?

Cook—When Beanbrough was in Florida he sent what he said was a postcard picture of a big fish he caught.

Frye—That so?

Cook—Yes; but you know, he is a trifle nearsighted, and the postcard he picked out bore the picture of a submarine boat.

The Dream Was All Right

Donald was troubled with indigestion, which made necessary a careful supervision of his diet. One night at dinner he asked for a second helping of dessert.

"No, Donald," said his aunt. "Don't you remember the last time you ate so much pudding how it made you dream about lions and tigers and all sorts of wild animals?"

"Well, I don't care," he whimpered, "it made me dream that I had a great big gun there, too!"—Delineator.

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Customer—Are these five or six wedding rings all you have in stock? Why, you've got a whole trayful of engagement rings.

Jeweler—Yes, sir, and it will take that whole trayful of engagement rings to work off those five or six wedding rings."

LAWRENCE STUDENTS PARADE.

APPLETON, Wis., April 23.—The first war demonstration here occurred when 100 Lawrence students were ready to enlist.

Hot and Cold

"Every time I see grandfather's sword I want to go to war."

"Well?"

"But every time I notice grandfather's wooden leg I cool down."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Poor Service

"I do have the worst trouble with the phone."

"What's the cause?"

"The service, of course. Let me show you. 'Hello, exchange, hello. Why don't you answer? I want Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Julia Brown. What number? Sixty-two Tanglefoot street. Number? I just told you. O, that? You mean her telephone number? Why, it's—there, you've gone and put it all out of my head. I'll have to look in the book. Dear, dear, the book is upstairs. Well, I never in all my life saw such service!"

Couldn't Fool Him

The farmer bought a pair of shoes in the city shop. "Now, can't I sell you a pair of shoe trees?" suggested the clerk.

"Don't get fresh with me, sonny," replied the farmer, bristling up; "I don't believe shoes kin be raised on trees any more'n I believe rubbers grow on rubber trees or oysters on the oyster plants, b'gosh."

Wanted a Chance

Little Bertha was invited out to dinner with her father and mother; before she went, however, it was firmly impressed upon her mind that she must not speak unless spoken to. All went smoothly for a while, but when some time had elapsed, and no notice was taken of her, she began to get uneasy.

Finally the hostess, seeing something was wrong, asked her what she would like next.

"I should like to have you begin to ask me questions," was the polite reply.—Lippincott's Magazine.



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By HAROLD MACGRATH

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"An incident," she repeated.

"Could I be more?" with sudden fierceness. "Could I be more in any woman's life? I take myself for what I am, but the world will always take me for what I have done. Yes, I am Paul Ellison, forgotten, I hope, by all those who knew me. Why did you come into my life to make bitterness become despair? The blackest kind of despair Elsa Chetwood, Elsa! . . . Well, the consul is right. I am a strong man. I can go out of your life, at least physically. I can say that I love you and I can add to that good-by!"

He wheeled abruptly and went quickly down the gallery, bareheaded, without any destination in his mind, with only one thought, to leave her before he lost the last shreds of his self-control.

It was then that Elsa knew her heart. She had spoken truly. She was a pagan; for, had he turned and held out his hands, she would have gone to him, gone with him, anywhere in the world, lawfully or unlawfully.

XIX.
Two Letters.

Elsa sang. She flew to her mirror. The face was hers and yet not hers. Always her mirror had told her that she was beautiful; but up to this moment her emotion had recorded nothing stronger than placid content. Now a supreme gladness filled and tingled her because her beauty was indisputable. When Martha came to help her dress for dinner, she still sang. It was a wordless song, a melody that every human heart contains and which finds expression but once. Elsa loved.

Doubt, that arch-enemy of love and faith and hope, doubt had spread its dark pinions and flown away into yesterdays. She felt the zest and exhilaration of a bird just given its freedom. Once she slipped from Martha's cunning hands and ran out upon the gallery.

"Elsa, your waist!"

Elsa laughed and held out her bare arms to the faded sky where, but a little while since, the sun had burned a pathway down the world. All in an hour, one small trifling space of time, this wonderful, magical thing had happened. He loved her. There had been hunger for her in his voice, in his blue eyes. Presently she was going to make him feel very sorry that he had not taken her in his arms, then and there.

"Oh, beautiful world!"

"Elsa, what in mercy's name possesses you?"

"I am mad, Martha, mad as a March hare, whatever that is!" She loved.

"People will think so, if they happen to come along and see that waist. Please come instantly and let me finish hooking it. You act like you did when you were ten. You never would stand still."

"Yes, and I remember how you used to yank my pig-tails. I haven't really forgiven you yet."

"I believe it's going home that's the matter with you. Well, I for one shall be glad to leave this horrid country. Chinamen everywhere, in your room, at your table, under your feet. And in the streets, Chinamen and Malays and Hindus, and I don't know what other outlandish races and tribes. . . . Why, what's this?" cried Martha, bending to the floor.

Elsa ran back to the room. She gave a little gasp when she saw what it was that Martha was holding out for her inspection. It was Warrington's letter of credit. She had totally forgotten its existence. Across the face of the thick Manila envelope (more or less covered with numerals that had been scribbled there by Warrington in an attempt to compute the interest at six per cent) which contained the letters of credit and identification was written in a clerical hand the owner's name. Martha could not help seeing it. Elsa explained frankly what it was and how it had come into her possession. Martha was horrified.

"Elsa, they might have entered your room; and your jewels lying about everywhere! How could you be so careless?"

"But they didn't. I'll return this to Mr. Warrington in the morning; perhaps tonight, if I see him at dinner."

"He was in the next room, and we never knew it!" The final hook snapped into place. "Well, Wednesday our boat leaves;" as if this put a period to all further discussion anent Mr. Parrot & Co. Nothing very serious could happen between that time and now.

"Wednesday night." Elsa began to sing again, but not so joyously. The petty things of every-day life were lifting their heads once more, and of necessity she must recognize them.

She sat at the consul-general's table, informally. There was gay inconsequential chatter, an exchange of recollections and comparisons of cities and countries they had visited at separate times; but neither she nor he mentioned the chief subject of their thoughts. She refrained because of a strange yet natural shyness of a woman who has found herself; and he, because from his angle of vision it was best that Warrington should pass out of her life as suddenly and mysteriously as he had entered it. Had he spoken frankly he would have saved Elsa many a bitter heartache, many a weary day.

Warrington was absent, and so were his enemies. If there was any truth in reincarnation, Elsa was confident that in the splendid days of Rome she had beaten her pink palms in applause of the gladiators. Pagan; she was all of that; for she knew that she could have looked upon Mallow's face with more than ordinary interest. Never more would her cheeks burn at the recollection of the man's look.

She was twenty-five; she had waited longer than most women; the mistake of haste would never be hers. Nor did she close her eyes to the future. She knew exactly what the world was, and how it would act. She was not making any sacrifices. She was not one of those women, lightly balanced, who must have excitement in order to exist; she depended upon herself for her amusements. With the man she loved she would have shared a hut in the wilderness and been happy. One of the things that had drawn her to Arthur had been his quiet love of the open, his interest in flowers and forests and streams. Society, that division of classes, she had accepted, but to it she had never bowed down. How very well she could do without it! She would go with him and help him build his bridges, help him to fight torrents and hurricanes, and to forget. That he had bidden her farewell was nothing. She would seek him. In her pursuit of happiness she was not going to permit false modesty to intervene.

(To be Continued.)

The Home Beauty Parlor.

by Betty Dean

Vera B.: Yor skin will grow soft, clear and smooth after a few applications of a plain almozoin jelly-cream, made at home as follows: Put 4 tablespoonfuls glycerine into ½ pint water and in this dissolve 1 ounce almozoin (which you can buy at your druggist's). Apply a thick coat of this to the skin before retiring, then wash off in the morning and use more of the jelly-cream for massaging. This gradually dispels the wrinkles and lines and banishes pimples, blackheads and the "muddy," oily look. The almozoin jelly-cream is greaseless and will not grow hair.

Mrs. A. T.: You may not require glasses. Get from your druggist 1 ounce crystos and dissolve in 1 pint water. Then put a few drops in the offending eye several times a day until inflammation and soreness have vanished. This crystos eye-tonic is especially good for granulated eyelids and using it strengthens the eyes and gives them a youthful sparkle.

Adoline: The reason for that dryness of hair after your shampoo is because that kind of soap irritates the scalp's tissues and makes them over-sensitive. Canthrox will correct this, for it it a tonic as well as cleanser and is so stimulating to the blood-vessels and scalp-tissues that the danger is entirely eliminated. To prepare your shampoo, dissolve a teaspoonful of canthrox in a cup of hot water, then pour it slowly on the head as you rub briskly. This dissolves every trace of dust, dandruff and excess oil, and after rinsing, the hair will dry quickly and evenly.

Lucy G.: Loss of weight is a serious matter and calls for prompt action. Get from your druggist 1 ounce kardene and put it, together with ½ cupful sugar, into ½ pint alcohol, then add hot water to make a full quart. Take a tablespoonful before each meal. This simple, home remedy increases your appetite and gently cleanses the system of impurities, restores a healthy condition to the vital organs. When this is done your weight will be normal and the glow of health will be upon your cheeks.

Mrs. A. R. J.: I make a good lotion that is very helpful to my skin by dissolving 4 ounces spurmax in ½ pint witch hazel or hot water, to which is added 2 teaspoonfuls glycerine, which will soon correct that oily, sallow, "wornout" appearance of your complexion. This simple lotion is soothing and healing and imparts a velvety smoothness and natural loveliness to the complexion not possible with powder and rouge. You will like the spurmax lotion because it is easily applied and cannot be detected when on.

Lucile: I always use a plain quinzoin hair tonic, made at home by pouring 1 ounce quinzoin into ½ pint alcohol, then adding ½ pint water. Rub a little well into the scalp twice a week and you will soon rid the scalp of dandruff and restore the hair roots to health. The regular use of the quinzoin tonic will restore the former gloss and even color to the hair and make it soft, long and fluffy.

Mrs. M. N. T.: Your excess weight can be easily and quickly reduced by taking this parnotis treatment, made at home, as follows: Put 4 ounces parnotis (which you can get at your drug store), in 1½ pints hot water and strain when cool. Take a tablespoonful before meals until weight is where you want it. No harm results from the use of the parnotis treatment, and the flesh is left solid and the skin soft and smooth.

Betty Dean's Beauty Book, $5.—(Adv.)

KENOSHA MEN WITH FLEET

KENOSHA, Wis., April 23.—Four Kenosha young men are with the fleet now at Vera Cruz, the list including Fred Palmgreen, JJr., a gunner's mate of the New Jersey; Tony Paccinni, a gunner on the flagship Arkansas; Richard Rehm, on the Michigan, and William Knietberger, on the New Jersey. All have been in the navy for several years.

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"S'MATTER, POP?"

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If you are one or if you know of one, please write or telephone The Tribune office, 323 either 'phone, the names and addresses.

The Mexican war was declared in 1846.

Paris dandies are now wearing sandals. Quite a saving in socks, at any rate.

CHARLES JAEKEL GOES TO REWARD

Charles A. Jaekel died yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock at his home, 2003 Michel street, after a two days' illness with a complication of diseases. He was 48 years old.

Mr. Jaekel was born in Germany March 26, 1866, coming to this country and La Crosse with his parents at the age of 6 years. He has lived here since. For a number of years he was a glazier, later following the paint and wall paper business.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Anna Jaekel, six children, Agnes, Leona, Meta, Elsie, Earl and Carl, all of La Crosse, one brother, J. G. Jaekel of La Crosse, and two sisters, Mrs. Albert Fischer of La Crosse and Mrs. Richard Loehn of New Orleans, La.

The funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home and at 2:30 at the German Lutheran church, Twelfth street and Cameron avenue, Rev. J. T. Gamm officiating. Interment will take place in Oak Grove cemetery.

Origin of Myths.

The human mind, whether that of the savage or the civilized man, is naturally a thinking machine. In early times, before science was born, the phenomena of nature required an explanation, and the savage beholder shaped the myth, which satisfied his untutored mind. It is out of man's natural craving to know the "reason why" that all myths are born. As the distinguished anthropologist, Tylor, puts it, "When the attention of a man in the myth making stage of intellect is drawn to any phenomenon which has to him an obvious reason he invents and tells a story to account for it." In such way all mythology originated.—Exchange.

The Recognition.

Friend—Hello, Pat! I scarcely knew you with your whiskers off. Pat—The same wid me, me bhoy. I didn't know meself when I looked into the glass except by the sound of me voice.—London Telegraph.

Huerta probably will defend his wine cellers against the constitutionalists with his last bit of strength.

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as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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MINERS RETALIATE PEN OPERATORS IN BLAZING BUILDINGS

Savageness Marks Reprisal of Strikers for Death of Their Women and Children at Ludlow

PREPARE TO FIGHT THE MILITIA

Big Force Gathers Along Railway to Turn Back Reinforcements to Troops

SEAL 35 PERSONS IN BURNING PIT

Strikers Reported Standing at Head of Shaft Threatening Death to All Making Rescue Attempts

TRINIDAD, Colo., April 23.—Thirty-five persons, including five women and three children, reported trapped in the blazing shaft house of the Empire Coal company's mine at Empire, near Aguilar, are in grave danger of death, according to telephone advices from there at an early hour today. Twenty-five persons in the shaft of the Southwestern mine at Aguilar are said to be facing a similar fate.

Matthew Waddell, son of the superintendent, and his wife; Ray Wiswald, his wife and baby, and three other women and two children whose names are not available are said to be in the mine at Empire.

Late dispatches say 1,000 armed strikers are gathering at Aguilar and along the line of the Colorado & Southern railroad to cut off relief to the two mines, and to halt a troop train at Denver with reinforcements.

The burning of the Empire and Aguilar properties followed a day never paralleled in the history of American industrial warfare.

The burning of the Empire mine followed a clash early Wednesday between mine guards and southwestern Colorado strikers. Operators' representatives here accuse the strikers of throwing dynamite bombs and sealing the mouths of the mine against escape by the 35 persons imprisoned within. H. D. Kink, one of the owners, telephoned early today that the slope of the shaft had been destroyed and that the air shaft was the only path to safety. He asserted that 500 armed strikers surround the blazing pit firing into it and that the imprisoned persons include President Sipple of the mining company, living in Denver. He charges that strikers have asked him to remember how the women and children died at Ludlow and have threatened to "shoot anyone who goes to the rescue."

Operators early today said they had reports that six local properties are burning including the Victor-American Fuel company's Hastings and Delagana mines; and the Green Canon mine of the National Fuel company.

Scores are homeless and missing and scores are reported hurt while on the hills, strikers await the coming of troops ordered from Denver and other northern Colorado points by acting Governor Fitzgerald last night.

It would be embarrassing if Mexico should decide to intervene in the United States and stop the lynchings.

COMMAND U. S. SHIPS IN MEXICAN WATERS



Top, Captains Roy C. Smith (left) and Robert L. Russell. Bottom, Captains Joseph L. Jayne (left) and John J. Knapp.

FEARFUL HUMOR COVERED FACE—RESINOL CURED

Paterson, N. J., Dec. 9, 1913: "About a year ago my face began to crack and get scaly in blotches. It soon got worse and my face was all spotted and rough, and it itched me very much at night, and caused me no end of discomfort. After a month or so, pimples and blackheads began to show, first in small numbers and then gradually covering my entire face. It was awful. The pimples were sore and the rash was itchy and my face had a most unsightly appearance. I could get no relief. Resinol Soap and Resinol Ointment caused me instant relief. By the time another jar of Resinol Ointment and cake of Resinol Soap were gone, I can truthfully say that it was a complete cure. My face had assumed its former color and looks, due to Resinol Soap and Resinol Ointment. They are, I think, the best for any skin trouble." (Signed) Robert Troyano, 289 E. 21st Street. Sold by all druggists.

LA CROSSE WOMAN ANSWERS SUMMONS

Mrs. Antonia Miller, aged 53, wife of Julius Miller, died last night at 6:15 at her home, 415 Jackson street, after an illness of eight weeks.

Mrs. Miller was born in Germany, December 21, 1861, coming to this country with her parents when an infant. She was married 32 years ago to Mr. Miller.

Surviving are a widower, one son, Edward, two daughters, Mrs. Sophie Lee and Mrs. Henry Kowalke, one brother, Charles Horn and one grand child, Donald Lee, all of La Crosse.

The funeral will be held Saturday morning at 8:30 at the residence and at 9 o'clock at St. Joseph's cathedral, Rev. G. Sluyter officiating. Interment will be made in the Catholic cemetery.

DENNIS MERCIER CALLED BY DEATH

Dennis Mercier, 87, for many years a blacksmith on Vine street, died at 3 p. m. yesterday at the county poor farm.

Mr. Mercier was born near Montreal, Quebec, in 1827. He came to La Crosse during the civil war, setting up in the blacksmith shop now occupied by his brother, Eli Mercier, who is the only surviving relative. The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon from Miller Brothers' chapel. Burial will be made in Oak Grove cemetery.

ORDER FLEET OUT

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The third division of the Atlantic fleet now at Boston was ordered yesterday to sail for Mexico on April 25.

Her Classification.

A little girl, when asked by her teacher to distinguish between the human and the animal families, replied:

"A brute is an imperfect beast. Man is a perfect beast."—Ladies' Home Journal.

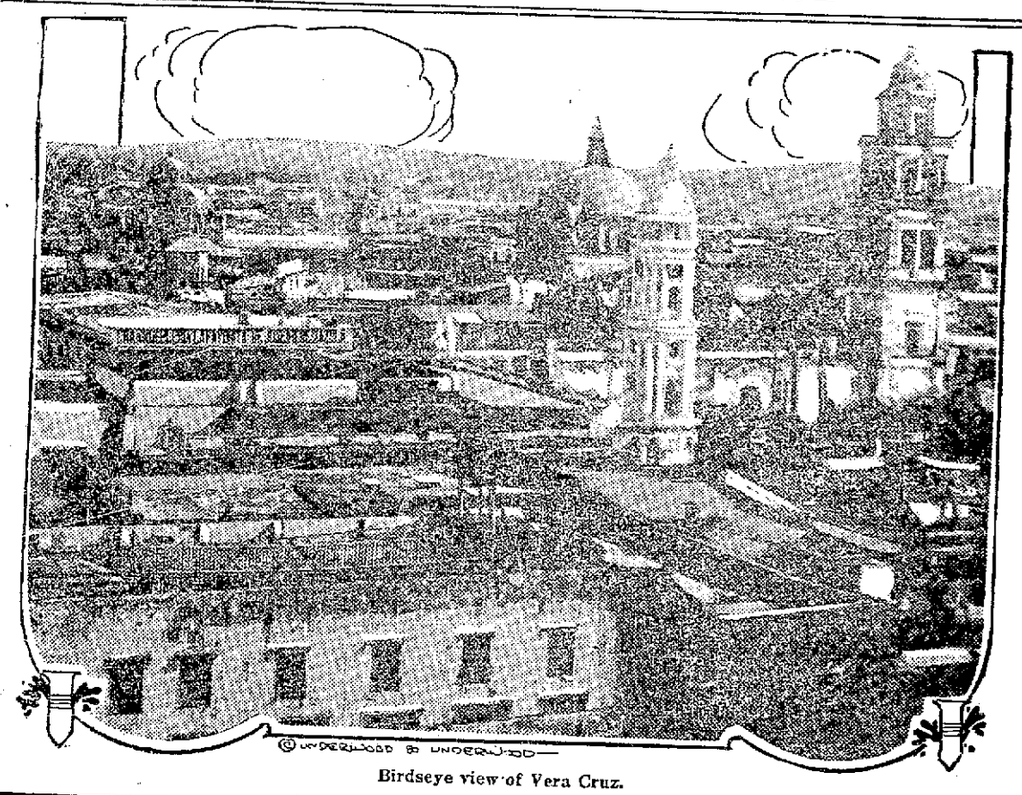


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BIRDSEYE VIEW OF VERA CRUZ



Birdseye view of Vera Cruz.

North Side Briefs

See Wm. Shay and Leah Baird at the Dreamland.

Mr. J. Keaveny is confined to his home, 527 Caledonia street, with illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Blake of West Salem, were the guests of north side friends and relatives yesterday.

Mrs. J. Lange of Sparta, was the guest of friends and relatives here yesterday.

Mrs. M. Kier who has been the guest of friends and relatives here, has returned to her home in Viroqua.

Mrs. G. Lange of Sparta has been removed to the St. Francis hospital with appendicitis.

Mrs. M. Fitzpatrick of Alma, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ryan, 620 Car street.

Mrs. M. Olson, who has been confined to her home, 1537 Berlin street with illness is improving.

Mrs. Gus Apel of Galesville, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Merwin, 816 Gillette street.

O'Neil's shoe store. Tennis bargains

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Knessel have moved their family and household goods from La Crescent to 836 Avon street.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vogel have moved their household goods from 1632 Charles street to 1517 George street.

Miss Anna Caldwell has returned to her home in Dubuque after visiting at the home of her uncle, Sam Knight, 2132 Wood street.

Mr. O. Molstad, West Salem, visited relatives on the north side yesterday.

Mrs. J. Burke, West Salem has returned after a brief visit on the north side.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Bethel church was entertained on Wednesday by Mrs. C. Gilberg.

Miss Alma Larson, St. Paul, has returned after visiting relatives on the north side.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Krenzie have moved their household goods from 925 Caledonia street to 1532 Avon street.

Mrs. C. Button, 1608 Charles street, has moved her household goods to the south side.

Mrs. F. Roth, 831 Rose street, ill at one of the local hospitals, is improving.

Mrs. C. E. Swartz, 717 St. James street, spent the day with her mother, Mrs. John Blankley in Onalaska.

E. Kuehn, West Salem, is visiting relatives on the north side.

Harry Craigo, Blooming Prairie, Minn., has accepted a position in the Farnham barbershop on Mill street.

FIRE DAMAGE $500

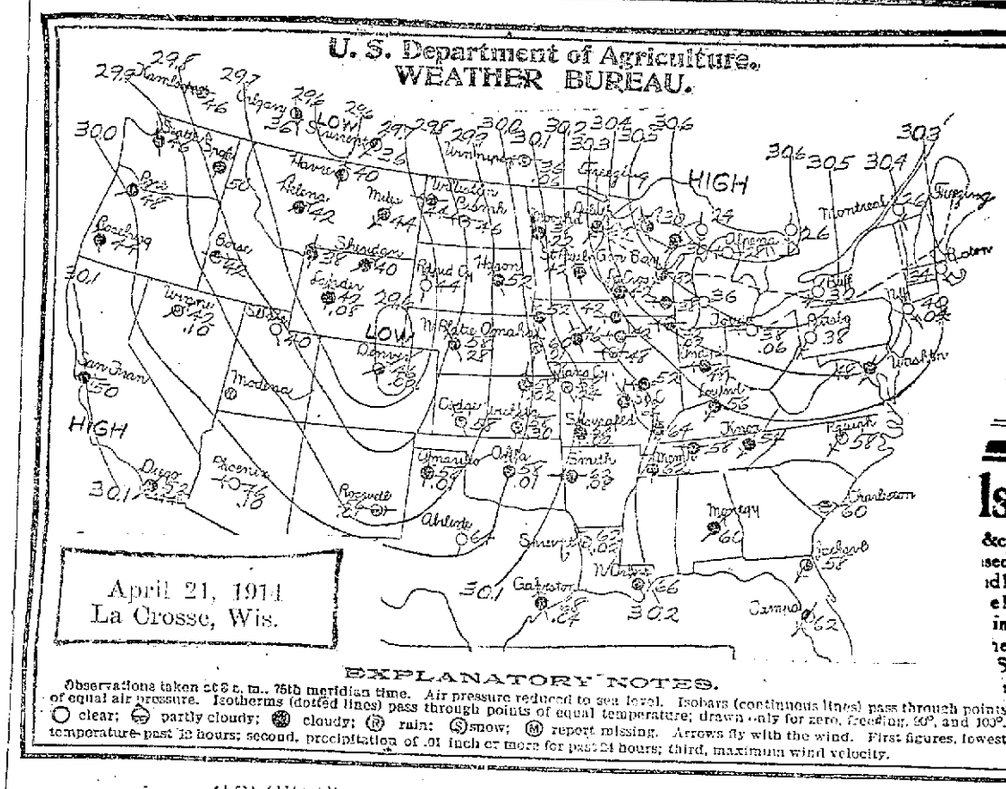
Fire yesterday afternoon damaged the residence of Mrs. C. A. Button, 1608 Charles street, to the amount of $500. It is thought that the fire started from a defective chimney. Mrs. Button was in the back yard when the fire started, and did not notice it until it had gained considerable headway. The partitions and ceiling were burned through in a number of places.

FUNERAL SATURDAY

The funeral services of W. S. Jamesson, who died yesterday morning at the age of 72 years, as the result of a fall last February, will be held Saturday afternoon at 2:30 at the home, 908 Mill street. Burial will take place in Oak Grove cemetery.



Scene in the Girl From Blue Wid ow at Majestic Theater



EXPLANATORY NOTES.

Observations taken 8:00 p. m., 75th meridian time. Air pressure reduced to sea level. Isobars (continuous lines) pass through points of equal air pressure. Isotherms (dotted lines) pass through points of equal temperature; drawn only for zero, freezing, 50°, and 100°. ○ clear; ◔ partly cloudy; ◉ cloudy; (R) rain; (S) snow; (M) report missing. Arrows fly with the wind. First figures, lowest temperature past 12 hours; second, precipitation of .01 inch or more for past 24 hours; third, maximum wind velocity.

	(LO)	(HI)	(P)
Boston	34	68	0
Charleston	60	70	0
New York	40	64	.04
Washington	48	86	0
Galveston	68	70	.04
Jacksonville	58	76	0
New Orleans	66	76	0
Chicago	42	48	.02
La Crosse	42	62	6
Madison	38	52	0
Memphis	62	80	0
Milwaukee	38	44	0
Bismarck	46	62	0
Huron	52	68	0
Kansas City	58	76	.24
St. Paul	42	58	0
Boise	42	64	
Denver	46	64	
Helena	42	56	
Miles City	44	74	
Portland, Ore.	48	70	
Spokane	50	66	
Medicine Hat	40	70	

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000 WOMEN SIGN AS NURSES

WASHINGTON, April 23. Women in all walks of are volunteering by TION Odreds to serve as nurses the field, according to an nouncement made by the Cross headquarters to- Already more than have been enrolled. gives the Red Cross than are likely to be red. From these will lected women who have dy had experience as es, as the war depart- will accept no others.

he list of world's mysteries, now include "Why is Harry" "How old is Ann?" and re is Dorothy Arnold?" why dd "Why resurrect Mrs. Gun-"

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TO ARM HOME GUARDS

AUSTIN, Texas, April 23. Governor Colquitt today gave official recognition to the many home guard companies that are being organized to protect the Texas border, by agreeing to provide them with arms and other equipment. The anti-American feeling among the Mexicans is very strong and appeals are being received by the governor from every town and community between El Paso and Brownsville for militia protection. The home guards are to be used for this purpose instead of the national guard, the latter being held under arms in readiness to respond to a call for mobilization by the federal war department.

WOULD USE FUNDS NOW

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Plans to make the appropriations of $142,000,000 in the annual naval bill immediately available for use because of the Mexican crisis were made today by the house naval committee. Several members, including democrats and republicans, agreed to take this unusual step, as the money would not be available until July 1 without the "emergency clause."

By walking across the country you can see more of it than a railroad tourist, and there are other ways of being foolish.

An Appropriate Name.

Aunt Liza's former mistress was talking to her one morning, when suddenly she discovered a little pickaninny standing shyly behind his mother's skirts. "Is this your little boy, Aunt Liza?" she asked.

"Yes, miss, dat's Prescription."

"Goodness, what a funny name, auntie, for a child! How in the world did you happen to call him that?"

"Ah simply calls him dat becuz Ah has sech tahd wuk gettin' him filled." —Exchange.

TWENTY-NINE LACROSSE MEN IN U. S. SERVICE

In Addition to Five Commissioned Officers Twenty-four Serve on Sea and Land

SEVERAL NOW IN FIGHTING ZONE

Three with Fleet and Three with Troops of Uncle Sam in Texas on the Mexican Border

SEVERAL ARE IN THE PHILIPPINES

However Majority Are In United States and Likely to See Service in Mexican War

In addition to its five commissioned officers, La Crosse and vicinity has a total of twenty-four men in the army and navy of the United States, making a total of twenty-nine in the federal service.

Of the five enlisted men, Ensign F. C. Beisel, Jr., and Lieutenant Walter Heiberg are graduates of the naval school at Annapolis, while Capt. E. E. Heiberg and Lieut. Loren Lawson are West Pointers. Capt. Brooks Shuman was an officer of Company M and won his stripes by distinguished service in the Philippines.

Of the twenty-four privates and seamen six are already in or nearing the fighting zone: Otto Molzahn, with the Utah at Vera Cruz, and Louis Harget, Charles H. Schwertfeger and Edwin Frederickson with the troops on the Texas border; Robert E. Brown, cruiser San Francisco, Tampico; Floyd Peterson, battleship South Dakota, enroute from Bremerton to Pacific coast of Mexico.

As near as can be learned the identity and distribution of the La Crosse men in the army and navy is as follows:

In the army:

Pope Robare, 407 North Seventeenth street, 27th cavalry, stationed at the Jefferson barracks, St. Louis.

Joe Engelhard, 630 North Seventh street, in Company E of the First regiment of the marines, at Olonpago, Philippine Islands.

Edgar R. Manning, 1506 Travis street, sergeant in the quartermaster corps, Honolulu, Hawaii. Manning has been in the army for the past three years.

Louis Harget, 1610 Badger street, in Company M, 28th infantry, at Galveston, Texas. Harget has been in the army for six years and is now serving in his second enlistment.

Charles H. Schwertfeger, 2311 Michel street, Texas infantry.

Roy Flannagan, 714 South Seventh street, regular infantry, whereabouts unknuown.

Larocque Dornbach, 528 Cass street, Ft. Gregg, Philippine Islands, for the last four years, now serving his second enlistment.

James C. Weldenberger, Midway, with the infantry of the regular army.

William D. Birreshdorn, enlisted from 303 South Third street, in the infantry of the regular army.

James G. Woodman, Cassville, with the signal corps of the regular army.

William E. Pagel, Houston county, Minn., infantry.

Carl Howard, Tomah, Wis., field artillery.

Soren Clausen, Bangor, coast artillery.

Douglas Nelson, Viroqua, Wis., infantry.

Bruno Hayes, infantry.

Mural Tyler, Prairie du Chien, field artillery.

Clayton Blanchard, 1003 Caledonia street, with Troop K, cavalry, Fort Mead, South Dakota.

Harold Hall, 1427 Avon street, with Troop I, 12th cavalry, Fort Mead, South Dakota.

Myrl Rand, Onalaska, cavalry.

Edwin Fredrickson, 812 Farnum street, infantry, New Orleans, probably now in or near Mexico.

In the navy—

Otto Molzahn, 609 North Fifteenth street, a marine on the battleship Utah, stationed at Vera Cruz.

Oscar Johnson, 416 Nofth Sixteenth street, marine, stationed at Bremerton, Wash.

Robert E. Brown, 1709 Prospect street, cruiser San Francisco, Tampico, now serving his second enlistment.

Floyd Peterson, marine, battleship South Dakota, at Bremerton, Wash., now bound for Mexico.

BOLLES SPENT $1.05

The election expense account of F. C. Bolles, successful candidate for member of the county board of education, was today filed with Andrew Thompson, register of deeds. Bolles spent $1.05 in his campaign.

Some aviators are getting only $2.50 a flight now. Perhaps they will soon be paying for the privilege of riding in airships.

Getting On.

"How did you come to buy that secondhand table?" exclaimed Mrs. Climber's husband. "We don't need it."

"That shows how much you know," replied his wife. "In one of the drawers I found a bunch of the most select visiting cards in the city. They will look lovely in our hall."—Washington Star.

See What You Can Get

at my drug store to beautify your home with—Mixed Paints, all sizes; Floor Paints, all sizes; Floor Varnish, all sizes; Japalac for furniture; Gold Paints for frames; Alabastine for walls; Wall Paper Cleaner; Bath Tub Enamel, and all kinds of Brushes.

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BEND EFFORT TO PUT AMERICANS OUT OF COUNTRY

Consuls Are Warned to Spare No Expense and to See that All Our Citizens Leave at Once

FEAR FOR THOSE IN INTERIOR

Persons in Stretch Between Tampico and Monterey Are in the Greatest Danger

MAY SEND RELIEF COLUMN

He Has Full Authority to Rush Marines Into the Interior to Assist Foreigners

WASHINGTON, April 23. — All foreigners, especially Americans, are being rushed out of Mexico. The administration, its fears for Charge O'Shaughnessy's safety relieved, was today bending every effort to get Americans to safety before the war storm breaks. Consular agents have been notified to spare no expenee and that they must see that no Americans disregard instructions to leave.

The greatest fears are entertained for the Americans in the stretch of territory eastward from Monterey to Tampico and in the vicinity of Chihuahua. Part of this territory is held by constitutionalists, but most of it by Huerta's forces.

All along the route of the big oil concessions of the Waters-Pierce company in northeast Mexico are American men, women and children who have disregarded previous warnings to get out. It is said that they may be attacked by infuriated Mexicans who have learned of the fighting at Vera Cruz.

Admiral Mayo at Tampico understands this and it was believed that he is ready to act. He has full authority to take action needed. He can land marines and bluejackets and rush them into the interior to bring foreigners out where the guns of his warships can protect them.

Another danger point is the territory along the line of the Tehuantepec railway, peopled by foreigners. It is believed that warships have already been sent south to take possession of the railway terminals.

One can't stand on a street corner very long and gaze at some men without wondering what makes some insects so large.

Unrenewable Patent.

A lawyer who makes a specialty of patent cases was once engaged in a case before a country justice.

"Who are you anyway?" demanded the justice.

"Well," replied the lawyer, "I'm an attorney."

"P'raps you are, but I never heard one talk like you do. What kind of a one are you?"

"I'm a patent attorney."

The magistrate rubbed his chin in thought. "Well, all I've got to say is," he said slowly, "that when the patent expires I don't believe you can ever get it renewed again." — National Monthly.

LOAD VESSELS WITH REFUGEES ALONG COAST

WASHINGTON, April 23. —Admiral Mayo, in command at Tampico, wired the state department that there are now on board American refugees. More are expected tomorrow and they will be placed aboard merchant ships. Captains of the German and British cruisers in that port are aiding in the handling of refugees.

Admiral Badger alsao wired from Vera Cruz that he is sending the Esperanza, the chartered ward liner, with about 400 refugees to Galveston. The Esperanza will then return for more passengers.

Admiral Badger will charter the steamer Mexico today and send her to Tampico with the Cyclops, a collier, to transport other refugees to Galveston. Another rescue ship will be sent to Tuxpam. Admiral Badger estimated that the number of refugees arriving at Galveston will probably reach 2,000.

MISS ANNE MORGAN, BIG SISTER TO POOR GIRLS, TAKES THEM ON AN INSPECTION TOUR OF GIANT STEAMSHIP



Miss Anne Morgan and her girls on S. S. Imperator.

Miss Anne Morgan's pet philanthropy is the organization known as the Vacation Savings Fund. Fully two thousand New York girls whose salaries range from $3 to $30 per week, and who are taxpayers or depositors in this fund, accompanied Miss Morgan as she piloted them about the big steamer "Imperator" a few days ago. Never before has the great vessel's decks resounded to the tramp of the feet of so many pretty girls as followed in the wake of the "big sister" as Miss Morgan led them about on the tour of inspection.

SOCIETY

VISIT SPARTA UNION.

Mrs. G. Townsend and Mrs. Wm. McKivergin, of the local W. C. T. U., returned from Sparta last night, where they attended the institute of the Monroe County W. C. T. U. yesterday. They report an extremely fine meeting and declare the ladies of the Sparta union royal entertainers. The members of the local union are hoping to have an opportunity to return the courtesies extended by the Sparta organization.

MISS BOLAND ENTERTAINS

Miss Agnes Boland entertained a few friends Monday evening at the home of Mrs. W. K. Sheperd, 225 South Sixth street. Her guests were Miss Blanche Davis, Miss Ethel Williams of Sparta, Wis.; Messrs. E. C. Bandow, Walter Streitz and W. B. Bigelow. A buffet luncheon was served.

SOCIAL BRIEFS.

Miss May B. Atkins, who has been spending a number of weeks at Mobile, Ala., has returned home.

Mrs. Orlando Holway of Merrillan, who has been visiting friends a few days, will leave for her home today.

Mr. William Tarbox has moved into one of the Callahan houses, corner Tenth and Cameron avenue.

Miss Gertrude Hogan, who has been east for a number of weeks, has returned home.

FLUCKIGER-TANNER

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fluckiger, 214 Caledonia street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Marion E., to Mr. George F. Tanner of Dubuque, Iowa. The ceremony was performed last Saturday at the parochial residence of the Catholic cathedral in Dubuque.

LADIES' MINSTRELS

The ladies' minstrel, which will be given by the ladies of St. Paul's Universalist church, will have its first rehearsal tomorrow night in the church parlors. Miss Lillian Hall of Creston, Iowa, will train the performers.

ANNOUNCES CONVENTION

The annual state convention of the county clerks of Wisconsin will be held in La Crosse June 16, 17 and 17. County Clerk Bert Jolivette today received notice from the secretary of the association announcing the dates and that similar notices were being sent to all county clerks in the state. This will be the first county clerks' convention to be held in La Crosse.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO COUNTY COURT.

State of Wisconsin, County Court La Crosse County, ss.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse in said County, on the second Tuesday, being the twelfth day of May, A. D. 1914, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered, namely:

The application of Theodore Houseer, executor of the last will and testament of Mary Houser, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County of La Crosse, deceased, for the adjustment, settlement and allowance of his final account as such executor and for the assignment of the residue of the estate of said deceased to such persons as are entitled to the same.

Dated April 8, A. D. 1914.

By order of the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

"PAID IN FULL" AT THE CASINO

"Paid in Full," the tremendous five-season theatrical success which enjoys a record run on Broadway, New York, has been adapted into scenario form and under the direction of Augustus Thomas of the All Star Feature corporation has been produced in a five-part moving picture of powerful strength. Tully Marshall, the originator of the character of the young husband, Joe Brooks, William Riley Hatch, who plays Captain Williams, the rugged old reprobate, and Hattie Russell in the part of Mrs. Harris, are of the original Broadway cast. Supported by a most unusual cast of favorite players, these artists have been persuaded to again appear in their old roles for the camera and are to be seen in the film production.

"Paid in Full" will be shown at the Casino theater for three days, starting this afternoon and continuing until Saturday night.

This is the first time a big attraction has been shown at any local picture theater for three days, but Manager McWilliams considers "Paid in Full" worthy of this distinction.

ROAD ANSWERS SUIT

The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad company today filed an answer to the damage suit brought by Louis Wellington for alleged injuries in a railroad acident. The answer sets forth that Wellington has already received $60 from the company in full settlement of his claim and that the suit was brought without his knowledge.

A West Virginia man has been sent to jail for one year for stealing three eggs. It is lucky that he didn't try to get away with a dozen.

FELICITY.

The world produces for every pint of honey a gallon of gall, for every dram of pleasure a pound of pain, for every inch of mirth an ell of moan, and as the ivy twines around the oak so do misery and misfortune encompass the happy man. Felicity, pure and unalloyed felicity, is not a plant of earthly growth. Her gardens are the skies. —Burton.

PERSONALS

Packages called for and delivered, 10c. Call 82.

Delbert Noetzel, 230 North Eleventh street, is recovering from an attack of diphtheria which has confined him to his home for two weeks.

Fred W. Kruse of Mankato, Minn., is a business caller in the city.

E. W. Olson, manager of the Kruse store here, is in Superior for the purpose of organizing a store there for the same company.

B. A. Yeomen dance Tuesday.

Rev. John T. Durward, chaplain at St. Francis hospital, has returned from a short visit in Baraboo.

Otto Gudenschwager has returned to Des Moines after a short visit here with his family.

Mrs. Otto Gudenschwager and children are the guests of Mrs. Gudenschwager's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Horstman in Brownsville, Minn.

Melvin Blazer of Eau Claire, Wis., is the guest of friends in the city.

Born, Tuesday morning, to Mr. and Mrs. Neil Pomeroy, 618 Cass street, a boy.

Electric vacuum cleaners for rent by the day or by hour. Thill-Manning-Whalen Co.

W. R. Cains has returned to Minneapolis after a short business trip to the city.

A. O. Kjome, Spring Grove, Minn., has returned after transacting business in the city.

George Bromley, who has been the guest of friends in the city, has returned to his home in Victory, Wis.

Carl Selbrade of Bangor spent a few hours in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. S. Whitbeck and daughter Doris have returned to their home in Caledonia after a short visit with friends and relatives here.

Hack calls day and night. Gateway City Transfer Co. Phone 179.

Joe Quillin of La Crosse transacted business in Caledonia recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Daley have returned to their home in Caledonia after visiting friends here.

Miss Sarah Iverson of this city is the guest of friends and relatives in Caledonia.

Mrs. J. L. Brahmer, Tomah, has returned after an extended visit with relatives here.

J. P. SCRIPPS DIES

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 23.—John P. Scripps, son of E. W. Scripps, died at the home of his father at Miramar, near here early today after a long illness.

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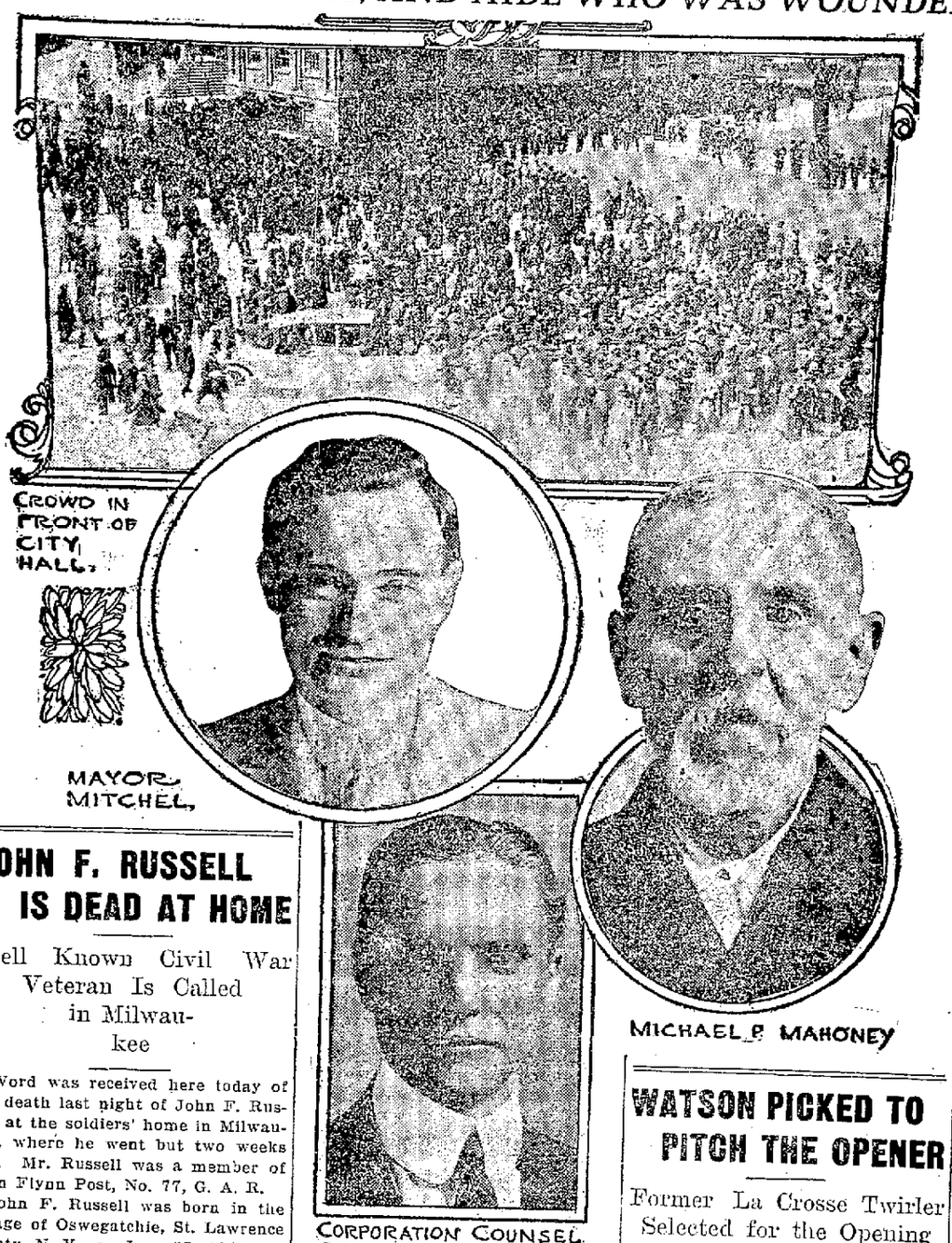

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JOHN F. RUSSELL IS DEAD AT HOME

Well Known Civil War Veteran Is Called in Milwaukee

Word was received here today of the death last night of John F. Russell at the soldiers' home in Milwaukee, where he went but two weeks ago. Mr. Russell was a member of John Flynn Post, No. 77, G. A. R.

John F. Russell was born in the village of Oswegatchie, St. Lawrence county, N. Y., on June 27, 1840. He lived in the neighborhood of Oswegatchie until the outbreak of the civil war, when he enlisted in Company C, Sixteenth New York infantry, going with the regiment to Ogdensburg and then to Albany, where they were ordered to Arlington Heights, Washington, D. C., going into camp below Fort Ellsworth. He was in the first battle of Bull Run, after which he was promoted to be a corporal and then to second sergeant and later, first sergeant. He was wounded on the second day of the seven days' fight below Richmond, being struck in the neck, leg and left arm with buckshot. In the battle at Salem church, he brought the company off the field, his superior officers being seriously wounded.

Mr. Russell participated in the following battles; Bull Run, Yorktown, West Point, Mechanicsville, Gainesville, Garrett's Farm, Savage Station, Charles City Cross Roads, Malvern Hill, Compton Gap, second battle of Bull Run, Antietam, first battle of Fredericksburg, the campaign under General Burnside, Deep Bottom, second battle of Fredericksburg, Salem Church, and the following skirmishes: Fairfax Road, near Fairfax Station, with the Fifth Alabama at Blackman's, Fort, Pollocks Church, Accotink, Fairfax county, Va. Mr. Russell was discharged May 22, 1863, for disability.

He came to La Crosse March 23, 1866, for a time working on the construction of the Southern Minnesota railroad, at that time an independent railroad. He served three terms as treasurer of Houston county, Minn., and was the democratic nominee for state treasurer in 1882. Later he engaged in the real estate and insurance business in La Crosse.

He was married on May 1, 1867, to Electa A. Swenson of Houston, Minn. Mrs. Russell died March 15, 1910. Mr. Russell was a member of the Blue lodge and Royal Arch Masons, the Odd Fellows, Good Templars, Red Men, Ancient Order of United Woodmen and John Flynn post, No. 77, G. A. R.

He is survived by seven children, W. F. Russell and Mrs. George Hale of La Crosse, Albert Russel of Madison, S. D., Mrs. Martin Stickle of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mrs. J. A. Williams, Ruel Russell, of Williston, N. D., Miss Effie and Archie Russell of Chicago. He also leaves one brother, J. C. Russell of Canton, Minn.

The body will be brought to La Crosse Saturday morning. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

BORAH KICKS AT MEXICAN STRIFE

WASHINGTON, April 23.—"Before another 48 hours we will be at war with united Mexico," declared Senator Borah this afternoon, in urging an amendment to the bill appropriating $500,000 for the bringing of American citizens out of that country. Borah demanded an amendment which would promise Mexico that we would withdraw from that country at once and leave it to regulate its own affairs.

"If our present policy is persisted in," Borah said, "it will eventually lead to seizure by the United States of every foot of land from here to the Panama canal. I want the congress to know that I would regard this as a national disaster, as a national crime. We will be in contention with the Mexican forces for so long that we will lose the habit of coming out of that country. I reiterate that if the flag goes up in Mexico it will never come down."

VETERANS OFFER SELVES

MINNEAPOLIS, April 23.—Fifty veterans at the Soldiers' home today wrote Governor Eberhart offering their service to President Wilson for "the picnic in Mexico." They said all were sound in wind and limb.

MEXICANS DESERT BORDER

LAREDO, Texas, April 23 —The entire city of Nuevo Laredo, across the river, is being excavated by the Mexican federal soldiers and inhabitants. General Quintania today ordered five hundred federals and volunteers to leave for Saltillo and asked all Mexican citizens to accompany the soldiers. The train carrying the soldiers and citizens will leave this afternoon.

WATSON PICKED TO PITCH THE OPENER

Former La Crosse Twirler Selected for the Opening Game of Chifeds; Expect 25,000 Fans

CHICAGO, April 23.—Doc Watson, the former Cub twirler was slated to hurl the opening game for the Chifeds in Chicago this afternoon. Tinker believes he has a wonder in the southpaw, who should make a hit with the fans and is losing no opportunity to boost Federal atendance.

Ticket sales early this afternoon indicate that 25,000 Chicago fans will see the opener with Kansas City.

HAD ACID AND GUN; IS PINCHED

Andrew Mason, 1009 South Second street, is being held at central police station today because a bottle of carbolic acid and a loaded revolver were found in his possession when arrested for drunkenness yesterday, according to the police. The man's wife is said to have taken another bottle of carbolic acid from him earlier in the afternoon. Mason explained the acid and revolver by saying he had procured them to kill rats.

BATTLESHIP SAILS

BOSTON, April 23.—The battleship Nebraska sailed for Mexico from the navy yard here this afternoon. The Georgia and Virginia, the other two vessels of the Third division, will go out at 4 o'clock. Nearly 300 extra marines are divided between the three vessels.

ARMY STAFF MEETS

WASHINGTON, April 23. — The general staff of the army was convened today by General Leonard Wood, retiring chief of staff. It was believed they were considering orders for a general army movement to Mexico and that orders would soon be announced.

PRISON FACTORY BURNS

OSSING, N. Y., April 23. — Fire originating in the enameling room of the wagon works in Sing Sing prison early today destroyed the works and spread terror among the thousands of convicts. The loss was placed at about $600,000. About 180 convicts employed in the knitting works went on strike yesterday.

HUERTA SEIZES ARMS INTENDED FOR DEFENSE OF AMERICANS

NEW YORK, April 23.—A private message received here today from Mexico City declares that the government has established a strict censorship and that the arms and ammunition stored in the American embassy for the use of the Americans have been seized by Huerta. A company of federals was placed on guard at the embassy, the message stated. The excuse given for removing the American arms is said to have been that since a military guard had been established they would not be needed.

No definite word of an actual outbreak in Mexico City has been received here, but the private message stated that Americans were gathering in great number in the central portion of the city and it was feared an anti-American demonstration was being planned. Americans have been bitterly denounced since Vera Cruz was taken, it was stated, and it was believed they were safe from insult or actual attack only in the embassy.

Only recently a consignment of rifles was received in Mexico City for use by the Americans in case of trouble. General Huerta refused at first to admit the arms, but after considerable negotiating on the part of Chargo O'Shaughnessy he obtained permission to bring them in.

EIGHT KILLED AT VERA CRUZ WHEN CITY IS OCCUPIED

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with the approach of the American marines, has been located at Tejeria, fifteen miles from Vera Cruz. He is said to have 1,000 men with him and expects reinforcements of 2,000 from Puebla.

Eight men were killed in the fighting yesterday. They were picked off by snipers who fired from the housetops or from behind corners.

No federal troops are in the town. In so far as the military in concerned the Americans have complete possession, but the men are in constant danger of being picked off by the natives of low caste.

Jackie Kills Pal

Becoming excited when he saw a man approaching him while on sentry duty, a bluejacket shot and killed one of his fellow countrymen engaged in the occupation of Vera Cruz last night. This was learned today, but as the shooting was purely accidental, th nemes of the men were not given out here. The man killed was a member of the marines. The bluejacket fired only one shot, but that was fatal.

Badger Takes Command

Rear Admiral Badger is now in command of the fleet in the harbor. Fletcher has appointed a complete staff and officials have been ordered to work under his direction. They have taken up their tasks with little evidence of good grace.

Fletcher expected today to receive word from Charge O'Shaughnessy, who has been given his passports in Mexico City, as to his arrival here.

Huerta has washed his hands of the territory immediately surrounding Vera Cruz, according to advices here. Trains will be furnished American refugees who wish to leave Mexico City and efforts will be made to see that they get out of the capital safely. On arriving within ten miles of Vera Cruz, however, the dictator will expect the American forces to see to the safety of the trains and passengers.

Huerta Talks Big

Reports here declare that Huerta has stated he will have 400,000 men in the field within twenty days. He is quoted as having declared that Mexico is "not only defending her national sovereignty but that of all Latin-America."

The trains which were "lost" between Mexico City and Vera Cruz have arrived here.

The 3,000 marines and bluejackets now in the city today turned with as much vigor as they showed in fighting, to work of peace in directing a cleaning up of that section of town in which the fighting occurred. A heavy detachment equipped with machine and field guns still occupied the main plaza today.

American Women Busy.

Most of the Americans who were quartered in the Hotel Deligencia on the main plaza, were aboard the refuge ship Esperanza today, but many stories of heroism of the women during the fighting yesterday are being told by the officers in command. The American women carried water to the wounded Americans and Mexicans alike, and when many were brought into the hotel the women acted as nurses, binding up wounds.

Mrs. Charles R. Hudson, wife of the vice president of the Mexican National railway, and Mrs. Thomas J. Ryder, wife of the manager of the Cowdray Oil interests; Mrs. Harry Archer and Mrs. Mary Crow took an active part in the work of the women. They were busy during a greater part of the day nursing wounded Mexicans. When the firing began the guests in the hotel left the rooms on the street and remained in inside rooms so that all escaped injury.

ORDER M'ARTHUR TO GET MEN FOR HOSPITAL CORPS

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CAN SLEEP AND EAT IN THE BARRACKS.

The first intimation of a possible call for state troops came from the adjutant general Tuesday when orders were received for both companies M and B to appoint a custodian to have charge of the armory and the company funds in the event the militia is called upon to leave the state.

B. C. Smith has been selected by Captain F. H. Fowler of M company. Captain J. M. Bradley, B company, said today he had made no selection but would soon.

On War Footing.

In an interview today Adjutant General Holway said that the national guard of the state is being placed on a war footing, so that in case a call comes to go to Mexico, they will be ready.

"A few days ago," said General Holway, "we sent out orders to all of the companies to accept tentative enlistments. There have been a great number of these since that time. The peace strength of the guard companies is sixty-five men. We are taking enlistments up to the war strength of 108 men. Then if the call comes the full strength will be ready. No word has been received from Washington, but we want to be ready if it does come."

Manual Extracts Out.

Extracts from the manual for non-commissioned officers and privates have been printed and sent to all the companies. They contain information on making camp, marching, and loading of wagons.

GENERAL CARRANZA TO JOIN HUERTA

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Wherever and whenever the dignity of the United States is flouted, its international rights or the rights of citizens invaded, or its influence rebuffed where it has the right to attempt to exercise it, that government must deal with those actually in control. It is now dealing with General Huerta within the territory he controls. That he does not rightfully control does not alter the fact that he does control it.

"We are dealing, moreover, only with those whom he commands and those who come to his support. With these we must deal. They do not lawfully represent the people of Mexico. In that fact we rejoice, because our quarrel is not with the Mexican people, and we do not desire to dictate their affairs. But we must enforce our rightful demands upon those whom the existing authorities at the place where we act, do, for the time being represent."

Plan Landings

It is generally believed that as a result of the conference the orders for ship movements on the entire east and west coasts of Mexico—constitutionalist territory as well as federal—will be issued within a very short time. There is no doubt that landings will be necessary at a number of points where foreign interests predominate but no word will be permitted to issue regarding plans.

Meanwhile, Secretary of War Garrison was at his desk conferring with the heads of the general staff of the army. He refused to make public any intimation of what the department was doing or expected to do along the border.

It was known that for a week or more high army officials have been pleading vainly with the administration heads to shut off the heavy stream of arms and ammunition that has been going across the border to the constitutionalists under President Wilson's order raising the embargo.

Order Secret Embargo

It was practically certain today that secret orders had gone out to hold up shipments of arms across the northern border. Officially there is no legal ground for such a situation, but it is believed the customs officials have been secretly tipped to use every expedient to red tape and delay clearance of such shipments.

ELECTION COST $6.39

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—Circuit Judge E. Ray Stevens spent $6.39 in his campaign for re-election as judge of the Ninth Judicial district, according to his expense account filed with the secretary of state. He was unopposed. He spent $5.25 for printing nomination blanks and $1.14 for postage.

POSTPONE GIRL CASE

The case against Jessie Gibbons and Viola Atkinson, charged with immorality, was again adjourned in county court this afternoon. Upon request of attorneys an adjournment of one month was taken by Judge John Brindley.

WASHINGTON, April 23. —By nightfall, acording to Secretary the Navy Daniels, it will be possible for the Americans to have a garrison of 5,000 marines and sailors ashore at Vera Cruz. There are now 3,300 on land and it is possible to put off 1,700 more.

Tonight the transport Mississippi with 500 additional marines will reach Vera Cruz. There are also on the way from Philadelphia 800 more marine on the chartered steamer Moro Castle.

IT'S MEN LIKE THESE UNCLE SAM'S SOLDIERS MAY HAVE TO SHOOT DOWN



STATE FIGHTING MEN NUMBER OVER THREE THOUSAND—ALL READY

Wisconsin's military strength is the following:

Three regiments infantry	2,762
One separate battalion infantry	265
One cavalry troop	72
One field artillery	84
Hospital corps	51
Naval militia, one battalion	158
Grand total	3,393

Wisconsin's "fighting department" also includes a troop of cavalry at Milwaukee and a battery there.

One battalion of naval militia at Ashland is composed of 158 men.

PREFER WORK TO MEXICAN WAR

Rather than fight in Mexico under Dictator Huerta or the rebel commanders, Villa and Carranza, several thousands of Mexicans are daily coming north to shovel and gravel along the right of way of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy and other railroads. Many are employed near La Crosse.

WIFE WANTS ALIMONY

A motion to show cause as to why Henry Klick should not pay alimony for the support of his divorced wife, will be made in circuit court soon. Mrs. Klick also asks the custody of her two children.

ASKS DIVORCE

After thirty-five years of married life Anna Novicki has filed suit for divorce against her husband, Vincent Novicki, alleging cruel and inhuman treatment and habitual drunkenness.

ASSESSORS MEET

Sixteen assessors of La Crosse county, State Tax Commissioner Thomas E. Lyons, and several county officials interested in taxation are in session in the county court house this afternoon. The purpose of the meeting is for the explanation of amendments in the income tax law and a general discussion of assessment work.

"NO WAR" SAYS REDFIELD

CHICAGO, April 23.—"Technically" the United States is not at war with Mexico, Secretary of Commerce William C. Redfield said today on his arrival here to make a banquet speech. "There is no war," said the cabinet member, "the seizure of the Vera Cruz customs house marines by American marines was only an act of reprisal. If Huerta were even now to accede to the demands of the United States; that would end it."

Whales.

The largest of all mammals are not the elephants, but the whales. A large elephant weighs about six tons, but the largest whale reaches the immense weight of 150 tons and would furnish four carloads of flesh and blubber. About forty different kinds of whales and dolphins are known, and, although they live in the open sea and look like fish, they are not fish at all, but are true mammals, breathing air and feeding their young on milk, like cows and horses.

NEW YORK, April 23.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., controlling stockholder in Colorado Coal & Iron mines, was inaccessible today when the United Press made an effort to gain from him an expression of opinion concerning the bloody war now being waged in the Colorado mining district.

Books.

Books are divisible into two classes —the books of the hour and the books of all time.—Ruskin.

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FRANZ JOSEF WORSE

VIENNA, April 23.— The greatest anxiety is now felt for Emperor Franz Josef, who has been ill for nearly three weeks. It was semi-officially admitted today that his condition is somewhat worse. The aged emperor passed a restless night. He was weakened by severe coughing.

Comparative Markets

These Quotations Show the General Trend of Prices for the Previous Week

LIVESTOCK YESTERDAY

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., April 22.—Hogs—Receipts 20,000; market slow; 5 to 10c lower; mixed and butchers $8.30 to $8.60; good heavy $8.20 to $8.57; rough heavy $8.1 to $8.20; light $8.25 to $8.55; pi $7.00 to $8.25.

Cattle — Receipts 15,000; mar steady to lower; beeves $7.05 $9.40; cows and heifers $3.70 $8.50; stockers and feeders $5. $8.15; Texans $7.10 to $8.20; $6.00 to $8.50.

Sheep — Receipts 23,000; ast night slow; 10c lower; native $ that the $6.75; western $5.35 to $6.50 favor of $6.20 to $8.15; western $ ional gov- $8.40. this affair.

LIVESTOCK A WEEK AGO

UNION STOCK YARDS, ade in re- he war and ed that the comparatively 15.—Hogs—Receipts 18,0 slow; steady; mixed a $8.60 to $8.90; good he price of feed $8.85; rough heavy $8. keeping a cow light $8.65 to $8.90; pi t of affluence. $8.60.

Cattle — Receipts 1 steady to strong; be $9.50; cows and heif $8.60; stockers and f $8.15; Texans $7 calves $6.50 to $9.50

Sheep — Receipts steady; native $5.5 ern $5.60 to $7.10 $8.25; western $6

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SPOTLIGHTS

"DAMAGED GOODS"

"Damaged Goods," Eugene Brieux's great sociological drama which Richard Bennett and his original New York company of co-workers will present in the La Crosse Theater for one night, Monday, April 27th, has the distinction of being the only theatrical entertainment ever presented in the National capital on the Sabbath day. This event took place last April, when under the auspices of the Society for Social Hygiene of the District of Columbia, Richard Bennett brought his company to Washington from New York City in order that members of congress and other officials in national life might see the play and pass judgment upon its fitness for presentation before the general public.

More than four thousand applications for seats were received for this single performance, whereas the capacity of the theater was limited to seventeen hundred.

If one excepts the marvelous Passion Play, presented at Oberammergau every ten years, this Washington performance of "Damaged Goods" was the most impressive production, from a religious standpoint, ever made. The Rev. Dr. Donald C. MacLeod opened the performance by reading the preface of the play from the stage and he was followed by the Rev. Dr. Earle Wilfley, who delivered an impassioned prayer asking for a divine blessing.

In the audience were the most distinguished senators and representatives in Congress and their wives, many diplomats of renown and more than fifty leading clergymen of all denominations. President Wilson's cabinet was represented by Postmaster-General Burleson and Secretary of Labor Wilson and his daughter.

How American Women May Keep Faces Young

"The American smart woman ages early, far earlier than the English woman," says Christian Miller, F. C. I., the famous English health expert. She adds that our climate "so exhilarates that you over exert yourselves and grow old before you know it. That same exhilarating air dries the skin. The skin that lacks moisture grows pale and withered looking and soon forms wrinkles.

"The American complexion" is best treated by applying pure mercolized wax, which caused the faded, lifeless cuticle to flake off in minute particles, a little each day, until the fresh, young skin beneath is wholly in evidence. Every druggist has this wax; one ounce is sufficient. Spread on at night like cold cream, washing it off next morning.

For wrinkles, dissolve an ounce of powdered saxolite in a half pint witch hazel; bathe the face in this. Immediately every wrinkle is affected, even the deeper lines. Both treatments are remarkable facical rejuvenators.

PEDESTRIAN STOPS TO SELL TRIBUNE

"Scotty" the 'Frisco newsboy, who has undertaken to walk from San Francisco to New York in 230 days, stopped over in La Crosse long enough to sell The Tribune on the streets here yesterday. Scotty, whose real name is Finklestein, maintains he is a son of the bonny highlands. He has now been on the trip 78 days but still has to visit several Canadian cities on the trip. Incidentally Scotty is carrying letters from the mayor of San Francisco to various cities in both the United States and Canada, boosting the 1915 exposition.

Medicine and Mortgages.

Certainly no patient could receive a dose of medicine like that prescribed to Brown and have the patience to take it. Yet Brown's doctor was a land speculator. When not making out prescriptions he was making out mortgages. It was when in a dual state of mind that he gave Brown the following instructions along with the prescription:

"One half down and the balance every six months for four years."—New York Tribune.

Tempering the Wind.

Fallon (who has bought a small farm)—Tell me the truth, Mr. Carney, is the soil rich or poor? Expert Gardener—Well, sor, I should say it wor wanst rich, but it's now in raydooced circumstances.—Puck.

While the longest day is supposed to come in June, we will contend it is Saturday in a barber shop.

CO-EDS WOULD NURSE

URBANA-CHAMPAIGN, Ill., April 23.—Co-eds of the University of Illinois, in a mass meeting here today adopted a resolution declaring their willingness to aid the government in a Mexican war by enlisting as nurses or raising subscriptions. Forty male students declared themselves ready to enlist on a moment's notice.

How to Save Your Eyes

Try this Free Prescription

Do your eyes give you trouble? Do you already wear eyeglasses or spectacles? Thousands of people wear these 'windows" who might easily dispense with them. You may be one of these, and it is your duty to save your eyes before it is too late. The eyes are neglected more than any other organ of the entire body. After you finish your day's work you sit down and rest your muscles, but how about your eyes? Do you rest them? You know you do not. You read or do something else that keeps your eyes busy; you work your eyes until you go to bed. That is why so many have strained eyes and finally other eye troubles that threaten partial or total blindness. Eyeglasses are merely crutches; they never cure. This free prescription, which has benefited the eyes of so many, may work equal wonders for you. Use it a short time. Would you like your eye troubles to disappear as if by magic? Try this prescription. Go to the nearest wideawake drug store and get a bottle of Optona tablets; fill a two-ounce bottle with warm water, drop in one tablet and allow it to thoroughly dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. Just note how quickly your eyes clear up and how soon the inflammation will disappear. Don't be afraid to use it; it is absolutely harmless. Many who are now blind might have saved their eyes had they started to care for them in time. This is a simple treatment, but marvelously effective in multitudes of cases. Now that you have been warned don't delay a day, but do what you can to save your eyes and you are likely to thank us as long as you live for publishing this prescription.

ENGLISH CAPITAL SAVES U. S. ROADS

Supply $15,000,000 to Lift Receivership and Extend the K. C. M. & O.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 23.—The long expected reorganization of the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient railroad probably will be effected within the next few days. It is predicted that the receivers who have conducted the road for more than two years will be discharged and the road built from Wichita, its present terminus, to Kansas City.

Lord Monson, chairman of the English organization committee, and P. D. Tuckett, president of the Electric Light system of London, and also interested in the re-financing plans, will arrive in Kansas City today. Their purpose presumably is to appear before Judge Pollock of the Federal court to assure him that the fifteen million dollars necessary to lift the receivership have been subscribed by the English financiers who have interested themselves.

TRAMP IS SHOT BY ELROY KIDS

Barney Mack, a knight of the road, arrived here today from Elroy, Wis., with a bullet hole in his left leg and a pitiful tale of want.

Mack says he was sitting near a railroad track at Elroy yesterday when he suddenly felt a sharp pain in the calf of his leg. Investigating he found blood flowing from a bullet wound and a bunch of children carrying twenty-two caliber rifles scampering off in the distance.

A doctor later dressed the wound and extracted the bullet. Then the good citizens of Elroy purchased a ticket for Mack and forwarded him to Poor Commissioner Sol Burdick for further care. Burdick is still undecided as to where he will consign the human cargo.

Bayonet Fencers.

Fencing with bayonets is the most popular as well as the most dangerous game among soldiers in the regular army. Those who participate must be strong and skillful, and the game is not one for weaklings. The regulation outfit is a mask, heavily padded coat and padded gloves. The bayonets are tipped with rubber, but despite the precautions men are often hurt in the set-to. Each regiment has its champions, selected by a process of elimination from the various companies. When these champions meet on one of the field days often held at brigade posts the rivalry is intense.—Popular Mechanics.

Willie's Comeback.

The teacher was telling the children a long, highly embellished story about Santa Claus and Willie Jones began giggling with mirth, which finally got beyond his control.

"Willie! What did I whip you for yesterday?" asked the teacher severely.

"Fer lyin'!" promptly answered Willie.—Everybody's.

A "MOTOR CYCLE MIKE" IS MILLER

Company M Corporal May Become Only Motorcycle Expert in Wisconsin Regiments

APPEALS TO WAR DEPARTMENT

Captain Fowler Asks General Holway to Secure Special Permit for La Crosse Man

Should Adjutant General Orlando Holway accede to the request of Captain F. H. Fowler, La Crosse, Company M will have the only "Motorcycle Mike" of the Wisconsin National guard.

Corporal Albert Miller, Company M, is the owner of a powerful four cylinder motorcycle. He is an expert rider, has traveled the prairies of the west with it and has sought permission to take it to Mexico.

Captain Fowler has written to General Holway at Madison requesting that, if the regulations permit, Miller be allowed to take his machine. In the event the regulations are against this General Holway has been asked to request of the war department special permission.

Captain Fowler points out that the machine would be of immense value to the regiment. It has been demonstrated at Camp Douglas, during the regimental encampments, that they far surpass the horse for messenger service.

Miller's machine, complete with clutch, brakes and electric lighting device, is equipped with a rear carrier in which it would be possible for him to carry his tent and blanket rolls and all necessary paraphernalia. In the event he is permitted to use the cycle he will undoubtedly be equipped with side arms, instead of the rifle and these would be carried in holsters fitted on the frame of the machine.

MEXICAN "STUDES" READY TO FIGHT

MADISON, Wis., April 23—"If we go, we'll fight; if we stay here we'll finish our education."

In these few characteristic words F. de la Fuenta, a Mexican student at the University of Wisconsin, summed up the philosophical attitude of the half dozen natives of Mexico who are attending classes at the state institution of learning.

The men are prepared to leave for Mexico to help defend their country at a moment's notice, however.

The Lighted Candle.

An army examiner once had a candidate before him who apparently was unable to answer the simplest question. At last the examiner lost his temper and, with sarcastic emphasis lost on the youth before him, said:

"Suppose, sir, that you were a captain in command of a company of infantry; that in your rear was an impassable abyss; that on either side of you towered perpendicular rocks of untraversable height; that before you stood the enemy, a hundred men to each one of yours. What, sir, would you do in this emergency?"

"Sir," said the aspirant to military honors, "I should resign."—Pearson's Weekly.

Champ says it doesn't require much sense to be a president. The Baltimore convention, then, went to a lot of unnecessary trouble in making a choice.

TAKE SALTS TO FLUSH KIDNEYS

Eat less meat if you feel Bachachy or Have Bladder Trouble

Meat forms uric acid which excites and overworks the kidneys in their efforts to filter it from the system. Regular eaters of meat must flush the kidneys occasionally. You must relieve them like you relieve your bowels; removing all the acids, waste and poison, else you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sours, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment; the channels often get irritated, obliging you to get up two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids and flush off the body's urinous waste get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine and bladder disorders disappear. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys and stop bladder irritation. Jad Salts is inexpensive; harmless and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then, thus avoiding serious kidney and bladder diseases. Agent, Chas. A. Besschlag, Druggist, 508 Main street.

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BEST AFTER ALL

OWEN CRITICIZES M'GOVERN'S STAND

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—"The people of the state will not be interested in the governor's disquisition on peanut politics," said Attorney General Walter C. Owen today, when asked for a statement regarding the governor's denial of a special session of the legislature for the purpose of reducing taxes next year. "They are interested in more important things—matters of more intimate concern to them, in the consideration of which they will not be frustrated by spiteful flings concerning factional politics further than to pause in amazement at the undignified spectacle presented.

"The absolute futility and impossibility of calm, judicial conference with him is perfectly manifest from the intemperate and undignified language of his so-called reply."

LA CROSSE GIVEN TEACHERS' MEET

La Crosse has been awarded the next convention of the Wisconsin Music Teachers' association at the closing session in Milwaukee yesterday. Liborius Semmann, dean of the Marquette Conservatory of Music, was elected president.

STUDENTS ENDORSE WILSON

The Eclectic Debating society of the normal discussed the Mexican situation at its meeting last night and the vote taken showed that the society was unanimously in favor of the action taken by the national government in regard to this affair. Many predictions were made in regard to the outcome of the war and it was generally believed that the struggle would be comparatively short.

Ab Adkins says the price of feed has gone so high that keeping a cow has become the height of affluence.

How You Can Remove Unsightly Hair or Fuzz

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By having a small package of delatone handy, you can quickly banish ugly, unsightly hairs wherever they may appear. Just enough paste to cover the hairy surface is made with some of the powdered delatone and water. This is applied for about 2 minutes, then removed and the skin washed. This simple method not only banishes every trace of hair or fuzz, but leaves the skin firm, smooth and free from blemish.

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SALEM RESIDENT DIES AT BANGOR

John Rummel Succumbs to Attack of Bright's Disease on Sunday

WEST SALEM, Wis., April 23.—John Rummel, formerly of this city, died Sunday at his home in Bangor, Wis. Death was caused by Bright's disease. His bereaved parents have the sympathy of the community.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Miller of La Crosse, on Tuesday, a seven pound girl. Mrs. Miller will be better known as Miss Grace Tower.

Saturday afternoon about twenty-five ladies surprised Mrs. C. Fales at her home just west of town. The time was spent in various ways and at 6 o'clock a picnic supper was served. Mrs. Fales expects to leave for Pingree, N. D., soon, where she will spend the summer months with her husband on his farm.

Mrs. H. Curtis, who has been spending some time in North Dakota, is here visiting with relatives and friends.

A picnic supper was served at 6 o'clock Monday evening at the home of the Misses Mary and Elizabeth McEldowney in honor of Mrs. Anna Francis of St. Paul and Miss Virginia Samuels' birthday. All enjoyed a pleasant time. Miss Samuels received a number of pretty gifts.

Mrs. F. Jones entertained a few friends to tea Monday evening.

The Ladies' Study club meets at the home of Mrs. F. Jones on Monday, April 27, at 2:30. Lesson, "Development of Spartan Life and of Spartan Leadership in the Peloponnesus." Leader, Mrs. Sherman Dudley.

Mr. Harry Fischer, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, is able to be about again.

Rev. S. L. McKee spent Monday in La Crosse.

Mrs. Frank Coburn and daughter attended the Minneapolis Symphony orchestra at the La Crosse normal school Monday evening.

Mrs. Colesha Smith, who has been spending some time at Onalaska with her daughter, Mrs. H. Cronk, came up Monday to spend a few days with relatives here.

Mrs. Elmer Waite of Bangor spent Tuesday here with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Pfaff is spending a few days at Onalaska, a guest at the home of Mrs. A. Storandt.

Mrs. S. L. McKee returned from her western trip the last of the week.

A surprise party was given Cecil Upham Monday evening at his home in honor of his birthday. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served, after which the young people departed for their homes wishing Cecil many happy returns.

The Remedy for Hard Water Is

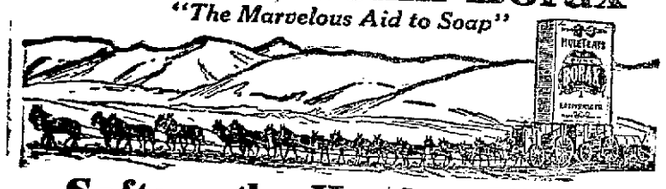
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LA CROSSE TAKES TO PARCEL PPST

The volume of parcel post business done in La Crosse has increased more than 750 per cent during the last year, according to figures submitted today by Postmaster William Tscharner after a fifteen day test.

During the period from April 1 to 15 a count on all parcel post packages passing through the local office was kept in accordance with instructions received from the postal department at Washington. The count showed that 58,977 packages were handled here. During the same period last year the total amounted to but 7,800. The average for the thirteen working days this year was 4,523 packages per day.

WILL FRAME NEW STATE FIRE CODE

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—Fox River Valley architects, builders, fire chiefs and others will have an opportunity tomorrow to offer suggestions for the new state building code. The industrial commission will hold a public hearing on Thursday at 2 o'clock at the Oshkosh city hall, at which the code will be fully discussed. This is the only hearing that will be held in the Fox River Valley and all residents of neighboring cities who are interested in the proposed code are expected to attend.

DIVERSE OPINION ON MOVE OF U. S.

London Papers Vary in Commenting on Action of Wilson in Mexican Situation

GLOBE HINTS AT ANNEXATION

Asserts President Undertakes to Tell Who Shall Rule Mexico; Villa for President

LONDON, April 23.—Considerable space was devoted to the Mexican situation by the British newspapers Tuesday.

"One of those great waves of national feeling which from time to time sweep away political dissensions among Americans," the Daily Telegraph says, "has gone throughout the United States. There is no nation in the world more punctilious over the honor of its flag and it is merely just for Americans to say that if an insult had come from a more formidable aggressor the manifestation of the public resolve to have reparation would only have been stronger and more violent. There is, of course, no question as yet of war in the strict meaning of the term."

Hints at a Protectorate

"In the declaration that the military operations of the United States are being taken not against the people of Mexico but against General Huerta," the Globe says, "we have the root weakness of President Wilson's policy. He undertakes to say who does and who does not represent the Mexican people. That is a pretension to which there is no other issue than annexation or a protectorate, as valid as that now exercised over Cuba."

Wilson Made Mistake

The Manchester Guardian, organ of the English peace party, says:

"War, should it come, would be purely ridiculous if the stakes were not human lives and national reputations. If both sides are itching to be at each other's throat, it would be discreditable to them both to have no better occasion for beginning.

"The originating cause of the dispute is undoubtedly the extension of the Monroe doctrine, which from being a mere notice board to Europe against political trespassing in the new world, has become a sort of gazetting of the United States as the political school mistress of Central and South America.

"President Wilson was wrong in refusing to recognize Gen. Huerta. The resulting intervention will put Pancho Villa in the position Huerta now occupies. This is not an attractive prospect, for Villa possesses in a higher degree every fault that President Wilson has found with Huerta."

Result Was Inevitable

The Liverpool Post was: "President Wilson's message was the inevitable culmination of American policy in refusing to recognize Gen. Huerta. The responsibility of the United States cannot cease with a mere conquest under arms and the upholding of American dignity, nor can it be confined to the immediate protection of international commercial interests.

"The further responsibility will devolve upon the United States of taking such steps as may be considered necessary for the permanent protection of those interests. That can only be done by establishing such a form and personnel of government as will insure the greatest degree of orderly life. The civilization of Mexico would have a beneficent influence throughout the world."

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ARREST JIM HILL FOR STEALING RIDE

Jim Hill of St. Paul was arrested here today for overlooking the formality of purchasing a railroad ticket before taking a ride on the Burlington railroad. The hobo namesake of the railroad magnate arrived in La Crosse yesterday morning. After pleading guilty to vagrancy he was sentenced to thirty days in the county jail by Judge John Brindley. Along with Hill, Christ Christianson, another "Weary Willie," was handed the same punishment.

The gossips sometimes disprove the theory that the truth doesn't hurt anyone.



Armour's "STAR"

"The Ham What Am" and Bacon too

Can you think of anything better for breakfast? The juicy, sweet, "mild sugar" cure flavor, with the tang of smouldering hickory logs given in the smoking, wakes up the most jaded and satisfies the healthiest appetite.

SMUT PREVENTED BY TREATING GRAIN

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—Smut diseases, which annually cause enormous losses to the grain growers of Wisconsin, can be controlled by treating the seed grain with formaldehyde solution.

According to B. D. Leith, college of agriculture, University of Wisconsin, oat smut and barley stripe can be prevented by soaking the seed in an ordinary cold water solution of the drug. Barley smut and loose smut of wheat, however, are harder to kill, and perhaps can best be controlled by a hot water treatment.

One of the methods of treating seed grain used at the Wisconsin experiment station follows:

The grain is spread upon a tight floor or canvas and is sprinkled until thoroughly moistened with a solution of one pint of 40 per cent formaldehyde to 40 gallons of water. The seed is thoroughly covered over to distribute the solution and is then piled and covered with sacks or canvas so that the formaldehyde gas will not evaporate before its good work is done. The grain may be sown at once or upon the following day but if it is to be kept longer it should be aired as soon as possible by spreading it out thinly upon the floor and then occasionally stirring it with a rake.

Another plan is to have the solution in a barrel or tank and then dip gunny sacks filled with the grain into the solution. The seed is then placed in a pile and handled in the manner already described.

BUMP CO. INCREASES CAPITAL TO $25,000

Amendments to the articles of incorporation of the Bump Perfected Paper Fastener company were filed with Andrew Thompson, register of deeds, today, whereby the name of the company is changed to the Bump Paper Fastener Co., and the capital stock is increased from $10,000 to $25,000.

LA CROSSE THEATRE

MONDAY, April 27

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And his original New York-Chicago Company of Co-workers in

THE SENSATIONAL SUCCESS

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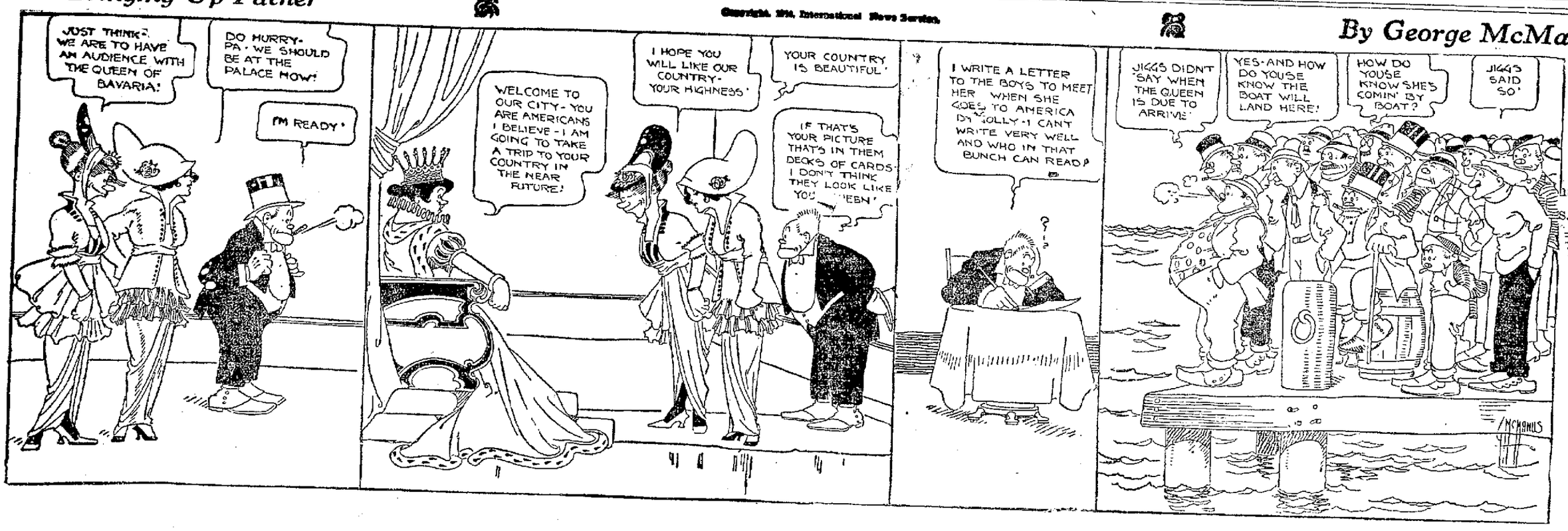
Mr. Bennett announces that no children under 16 years of age will be admitted to "Damaged Goods" unless accompanied by parent or guardian.

Prices: 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50 Seats Selling

Bringing Up Father

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By George McManus



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CASTORIA is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, all Teething Troubles and Diarrhœa. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, assimilates the Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher.*

AVIATOR OFFERS TO FIGHT

MINNEAPOLIS, April 23.—Aviator Heine, a Canadian who has made notable flights with passengers here today volunteered the use of his aeroplane and services to Secretary Garrison to clean Mexican gunners out of the mountain passes and Mexico City. Heine declared that, flying at a height of 5,000 feet he would safe from the Mexican bullets and could drop bombs which would annihilate the Mexicans. He says that he will guarantee that small bands of Mexicans will not hold the mountain passes if he is allowed to sail over them and drop bombs.

BRICK FINE ARGUMENT

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 23.—Jose De Ormando, Mexican laborer, awoke in the Emergency hospital at noon today to explain that an early morning extra had been the indirect cause of his going to bed. Jose quarreled with his brother over the stand of the rebels as announced in the extra. A well aimed brick landing squarely on Jose's chin was the brother's best argument.

Tailors declare the hip pocket in men's trousers is going out of style It is—with the assistance of Illinois women.

FREED OF CHARGE

Ed Hintgen was merely attempting to defend himself from the attack of Lizzie Kaiser when she wase struck by a rake in the mixup, according to the decision reached this morning by Judge John Brindley. Mrs. Kaiser had Hintgen arrested for striking her over the head with the rake but the testimony showed he was but warding off a blow and that the rake was in the hands of the woman. The judge declared that if Hintgen was in the wrong his attorney would doubtlessly deal out sufficient punishment.

WANTS VESSELS QUICK

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels today wired the Brooklyn navy yard to ascertain the earliest date on which the battleships New York and Texas, now undergoing repairs, can be placed in commission.

"Now, why are you crying?"

"My husband is so evasive," yelped the bride. "Every time I ask him how he likes my biscuits he tells me that I have beautiful eyes."—Louisville Courier-Journal

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BOY THOUGHT DEAF NOW IN THE ARMY

Thomas Lorin, Brother of La Crosse Woman Who Ran Away to the War Writes to His Sister

LETTER TO HIM CIRCLED GLOBE

Was Addressed at Havana Two Years Ago and His Answer Was Dated in Islands at Christmas

Running away at the age of 18 to enlist in the Spanish American war and presumed to have been dead, Thomas Lorin, Purdy, Wis., today surprised his sister, Mrs. L. N. Johnston, 1628 Adams street, with a letter—the first in fifteen years.

The letter, which was in answer to the last attempt of his sister to communicate with him two years ago, says that he is alive and well, is in the Philippine service and is at present under quarantine at Pizol with other American troops.

When the battleship Maine was blown up in Havana harbor fifteen years ago, Lorin was one of the many young men, surcharged with patriotism, who wanted to go to war. His parents objected and one night the boy stole away. His relatives learned later that he had joined the army.

Get No Word

When days, weeks and months failed to bring word from him the war department was communicated with. No information was elicited from that source. Two years ago his sister, Mrs. Johnston, hazarded a guess as to the company he was in and addressed a letter to Havana. It was soon after this that a Wisconsin boy, returning from the Philippines, said Lorin was dead.

Today came the letter from Lorin. He is in the branch of the army assigned to the Philippines, is in good health and, it is intimated in his letter, has taken unto himself a bride.

Letter Written Christmas

The letter received by the LaCrosse woman was dated Christmas week and was in answer to the letter she had mailed to Havana two years ago.

"Your letter to me must have circled the globe any number of times" wrote her brother.

His parents in Purdy have been notified.

PLAN MAUSOLEUM FOR WEST SALEM

West Salem is to have a mausoleum similar to that of La Crosse but somewhat smaller. Preliminary steps have already been taken toward that end and articles of incorporation for the purpose of carrying on the work were filed with Register of Deeds Andrew Thompson here. B. B. Mercereau, G. W. Dudley and S. C. Sander are the incorporators. The company will be known as the Hamilton Mausoleum company and will operate without capital stock.

LAND MORE MARINES.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—A dispatch was received at the navy department early today reporting that an additional regiment of marines has been landed at Vera Cruz. This force arrived on the transport Hancock yesterday morning.

The Woodpecker's Tattoo.

Heard a woodpecker tapping the trees in the high woods. How strangely he is constructed! If we chopped our teeth on a stick loud enough to be heard a hundred feet off, at the end of an hour our jaws and gums would be so sore we could not bear it. But the woodpecker seems to suffer no inconvenience.—From "A Farmer's Note book."

What, by the way, has become of Mr. Inez Milholland, the most famous suffraget's husband.

WEATHER

Temperature ranges yesterday:
High, 63.
Low, 42.
Precipitation, 0.

Forecast for La Crosse and vicinity: Unsettled weather tonight and Friday with probably showers; warmer.

For Wisconsin: Mostly cloudy tonight and Friday; possibly showers; slowly rising temperature; fresh breezes.

For Minnesota: Unsettled weather tonight and Friday with probably showers; warmer tonight and southeast portion Friday; fresh breezes.

For Iowa: Unsettled weather tonight and Friday, probably showers; warmer east and central portions; fresh breezes.

Weather Conditions

The Manitoba high has moved eastward into the upper lake region and upper St. Lawrence valley accompanied by fair and somewhat cooler weather. The western depression now covers the Rocky mountain districts and plains states, the temperature has risen throughout the plains states and light local showers have occurred from Manitoba to the west gulf coast.

This low will drift slowly eastward causing unsettled weather in this section tonight and Friday with local showers and somewhat higher temperature.

River

	Stage.	Change.
St. Paul	2.2	0.0
Red Wing	4.2	-|-0.4
La Crosse	4.0	-|-0.1

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THE CASINO

Today Tomorrow and Saturday



Richard Bennett in a Scene from "D amaged Goods' at La Crosse Theater Monday April 27

FIFTH BRIGADE SHORT

GALVESTON, Texas, April 23.—That the Fifth brigade, the flower of the United States army and the first which will be sent to Mexico in case of hostilities, is approximately 600 enlisted men short of authorized strength, was the statement made by Col. Daniel Cornman, who is in command, today. Efforts to recruit the brigade to standing are being made and recruits are being received daily.

One reform the victorious rebels might make would be to knock a couple of huas off from Chihuahua.

WRITE STORIES FOR MOVING PICTURE PLAYS

New, Spare-time Profession for Men and Women—One Man Makes $3,500 in Six Months

Owing to the large number of new motion picture theaters which are being opened throughout the country, there is offered to the men and women of today, a new profession, namely, that of writing moving picture plays. Producers are paying from $25 to $150 for each scenario accepted, upon which they can build a photo play.

$3,500 in Six Months

As it only requires a few hours' time to construct a complete play, you can readily see the immense possibilities in this work. One man, who gave the idea a tryout, writes that he earned $3,500 in six months. It is possible for an intelligent person to meet with equal success.

One feature of the business which should appeal to everyone, is that the work may be done at home in spare time. No literary ability is required and women have as great an opportunity as men. Ideas for plots are constantly turning up, and may be put in scenario form and sold for a good price.

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Complete particulars of this most interesting and profitable profession may be had FREE OF CHARGE by sending a post card to

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CALIFORNIA SENDS TROOPS TO BORDER

State Militiamen Go to the Line to Protect Water Supply of San Diego from Mexicans

SEVEN COMPANIES TAKE FIELDS

Two Batteries of State Coast Artillery, Naval Reserves and Four Infantry Companies Go

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 23.—Two companies of state coast artillery and a company of naval reserves were ordered out at 5 a. m. today to guard the San Diego water system along the Mexican border.

Governor Johnson ordered the militiamen out following the receipt of dozens of telegrams stating that the water system was in danger of attack by Mexicans.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 23.—Four companies of the Seventh regiment, California National guard, are being mobilized at their armory here following the receipt of orders from Adjutant General Forbes. Col. Schreiber, commanding the regiment, was ordered to arrange for a special train to move the troops to the Mexican border "with the greatest celerity."

RAIL EMPLOYES CLOSE.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 23.—The biennial convention of the International Railwaymen's department of the American Federation of Labor ended yesterday afternoon here. The body will meet April 13, 1916, in a city the national executive council will select. All of the officers for the last term were re-elected yesterday. They are: A. O. Wharton, St. Louis, president; Geo. W. Pring, Des Moines, vice president, and John Scott, St. Louis, secretary-treasurer.

O'SHAUGHNESSY IS GIVEN PASSPORTS WILL START AT ONCE

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Charge O'Shaughnessy has been handed his passports by Huerta. He will leave Mexico City today or early Friday morning. This is the first official step toward open declaration of war.

Early today a cable was received from the American charge. It said: "Having been given my passports, I am leaving Thursday night or Friday morning."

This was the first word from O'Shaughnessy in over forty-eight hours.

The message from O'Shaughnessy was given out at 3:20 a. m. today. It was believed to have been received about midnight. The president was hauled from bed to hear the message read over the telephone by Secretary Tumulty who passed a sleepless night.

With Charge O'Shaughnessy enroute from Mexico City, this government waited anxiously today for an expected formal declaration of war from Huerta.

Handing O'Shaughnessy his passports formally severed diplomatic relations. Algara, Mexican charge here, was expected to ask for his passports before noon. They will be promptly turned over.

No longer is there any doubt that there is to be a general conflict with a united Mexico lined up solidly against the might of the United States. Carranza has spoken and his declaration is interpreted by President Wilson and his advisers as a threat.

There will be no more disposition shown to temporize with Carranza than there has been to condone Huerta's efforts.

Officials here believe that Huerta has a formal declaration of war ready, but so far they have not received notification of its issuance. Because of the fragmentary state of communication with the Mexican capital, they do not know whether the dictator has taken the matter up with the Mexican congress. His attitude, however, is clearly set forth in his statement of late last night, in which he said war was on and promised to have an army of 400,000 men in the field in twenty days.

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Instantly Clears Air Passages; You Breathe Freely, Nasty Discharge Stops, Head Colds and Dull Headache Vanish.

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Put your faith—just once—in "Ely's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear.

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WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

BY HAL SHERIDAN

Clark Griffith's crowd climbed to second place because the Highlanders pulled a series of misplays, giving Warhop miserable backing.

The Cobb-Crawford combined fleets worked effectively again, shelling Branch Rickey's college craft for three runs and the game in the third.

Comiskey's White Sox look like champions of the world—for the month of April, 1914.

In four Federal games yesterday, number of hits totalled 84.

While prelims for the Cub season opening were under way, Charley Murphy, late magnate, picked the Cubs as pennant winners. Charley Herzog's Reds then licked 'em, 4 to 3.

B. B. COMMISSION MEETS IN SECRET

CHICAGO, April 23.—The national baseball commission reconvened in its second session late yesterday afternoon, but information concerning what was done at the forenoon session was flatly refused. Chairman Garry Herrmann, President Ban S. Johnson of the American league, and Secretary John Heydler of the National league, representing Governor John Tener, "sat in" at the meeting.

The rule should be that no man should wed a spring chicken young enough to be known as his child wife.



8126 8058

COTTON RAILINE AND COTTON VELVET FAVORED FABRICS FOR THE TOP COAT.

Although tweed and like wool fabrics are used a great deal for the separate coat, several of the new heavy cottons are also favored; railine, golfine and cotton velvet are among these. These cotton fabrics come in all the new shades and are especially effective in the brighter yellows and scarlets. The coat shown in No. 8126 is developed in yellow cotton railine; the back extends over the shoulders to form a shaped yoke; there is an inset cuff and a turn-over collar which may be worn standing. To make this coat in size 36, requires 3⅝ yards of 42 inch material. All of these cottons average 42 inches in width and range in price from $2.50 a yard and up.

The street dress illustrated in No. 8058, displays unusually trim lines and may be made up effectively in either one of the popular checks or stripes. Here it is developed in plaid, showing two shades of gray; collar, cuffs and the lower part of the vest are of black satin, and the upper part of the vest is of fine white voile with a line of tiny glass buttons extending down the front. This fine voile is much used for vests and collars at the moment and is dainty and becoming.

Five and one-quarter yards of 42 inch material is needed to make up this design in size 36.

When a girl is a prude she is generally looking for something to shock her.

Standing Of Clubs

National League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburg	6	1	.857
Philadelphia	4	1	.800
Brooklyn	3	1	.750
St. Louis	3	4	.427
Cincinnati	2	4	.333
Chicago	2	4	.333
New York	1	3	.250
Boston	1	4	.200

American League

Chicago	7	1	.875
Detroit	5	2	.714
Washington	4	2	.667
New York	3	2	.600
St. Louis	3	4	.429
Philadelphia	2	3	.400
Boston	2	4	.333
Cleveland	0	8	.000

Federal League

St. Louis	6	1	.857
Buffalo	3	1	.750
Baltimore	3	3	.620
Brooklyn	2	2	.500
Indianapolis	3	4	.429
Kansas City	3	4	.429
Chicago	2	5	.286
Pittsburg	0	3	.000

American Association

Indianapolis	6	1	.857
Milwaukee	5	1	.833
Louisville	4	3	.571
Kansas City	4	4	.500
St. Paul	4	5	.444
Cleveland	3	5	.375
Minneapolis	2	4	.333
Columbus	1	5	.167

GAMES YESTERDAY

National League

Philadelphia, 3; Boston, 1.
Cincinnati, 4; Chicago, 3.
New York-Brooklyn, wet grounds.

American League

Washington, 2; New York, 1.
Chicago, 7; Cleveland, 0.
Detroit, 4; St. Louis, 2.
Boston, 9; Philadelphia, 9 (called by agreement at end of eighth inning).

Federal League

Buffalo, 9; Pittsburg, 6.
Baltimore, 9; Brooklyn, 8.
St. Louis, 5; Chicago, 4.
Kansas City, 4; Indianapolis, 3.

American Association

No games scheduled.

GAMES TODAY

National League

St. Louis at Pittsburg.
Cincinnati at Chicago.
Philadelphia at New York.
Brooklyn at Boston.

American League

Chicago at Cleveland.
Detroit at St. Louis.
Boston at Washington.
New York at Philadelphia.

Federal League

St. Louis at Indianapolis.
Brooklyn at Pittsburg.
Buffalo at Baltimore.

American Association

Milwaukee at St. Paul.
Kansas City at Minneapolis.
Cleveland at Columbus.
Louisville at Indianapolis.

M'MAHON TO COAST

NEWCASTLE, Pa., April 23.—Tom McMahon, white hope destroyer, left here today for Los Angeles, where he will fight Kid Kenneth May 8. Plans made by Promoter McCarey to bring George Chip and Patsy Brannigan to the coast for a series of fights have fallen through.

GERMANS BEAT LATINS

The team representing the girls of the normal German department defeated the girls of the Latin department in a game of basketball last night by the close score of 7 to 4. The game was the most interesting girls' game of the season.

NORMAL BALL GAME TODAY

The normal school and high school baseball teams will meet in the first real game of baseball in this city this season this afternoon. Saubert and Holthaus will in all probability be the normal battery, while King and Weeks serve them up for the highs.

SPORTS

CHANCE'S YANKEES LOSE TO SENATORS

Pitchers' Battle Goes to Washington Club; Boston and Quakers Play Tie Game

CUBS LOSE IN UPHILL GAME

Make Strong Effort to Come Back Near End of Game but Lose to Reds by 3 to 4 Score

CHICAGO, April 23.—The Cubs were defeated in a rather poor opening, 4 to 3, yesterday. Pierce held the Reds to three hits, two of which in the fourth counted three runs. The score:

	R	H	E
Cincinnati ...000300100—4	3	2	
Chicago ....000100011—3	5	1	

Batteries: Ames, Benton and Clarke; Pierce, Koestner and Archer.

Philadelphia 3, Boston 1

Score:	R	H	E
Boston .....001000000—1	5	1	
Philadelphia .00001200x—3	6	0	

Batteries: Rudolph and Gowdy; Alexander and Killifer.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Washington 2, New York 1

NEW YORK, April 23.—The Senators took the rubber game from the Yanks yesterday 2 to 1. Ayres and Engle combined to beat the veteran Warhop. Score:

	R	H	E
Washington ..010010000—2	5	1	
New York ..000000100—1	8	4	

Batteries: Engel, Ayres and Henry; Warhop and Sweeney.

Boston 9, Philadelphia 9

BOSTON, April 23.—Another tie game wound up the Red Sox-Athletic series yesterday afternoon, the score being 9 to 9. At the end of the eighth inning the game was called to allow the two teams to catch their trains. The Red Sox appeared to have a commanding lead in the fourth inning, but the champions tied the score. In the seventh Philadelphia made four more runs, but Boston did the same in the eighth. The score:

	R	H	E
Philadelphia ...10004040—9	11	5	
Boston .....00140004—9	9	2	

Batteries: Wyckoff, Houck, Plank and Schang; Bedient, Coombs, Foster, Kelly and Cady. (Called by agreement.)

Detroit 4, St. Louis 2

ST. LOUIS, April 23.—The work of Cobb and Crawford featured the opening American league game here yesterday. Detroit winning 4 to 2. Score:

	R	H	E
Detroit ....003010000—4	8	4	
St. Louis ....200000000—2	10	2	

Batteries: Dauss and Stanage; Hamilton and Crossin.

Chicago 7, Cleveland 0

CLEVELAND, O., April 23. — The Naps dropped their eighth straight game, 7 to 0 to the White Sox yesterday. Score:

	R	H	E
Chicago ....002003200—7	5	1	
Cleveland ..000000000—0	6	5	

Batteries: Russell, Scott and Schalk; Blanding, Collamore, Billings and Carisch.

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Buffalo 9, Pittsburg 6

Score:	R	H	E
Buffalo ....023112000—9	10	2	
Pittsburgh ...000302010—6	11	5	

Batteries: Moran, Ford and Blair; Camnitz, Walker and Berry.

Baltimore 9, Brooklyn 8

Score:	R	H	E
Brooklyn ..015010100—8	15	3	
Baltimore ..00004032x—9	11	3	

Batteries: Seaton and Owen; Smith, Suggs, Wilhelm and Jacklitsch.

St. Louis 5, Chicago 4

Chicago ....002001001—4	5	1	
St. Louis ..10003001x—5	12	1	

Batteries: McGuire and Wilson; Crandall and Hartley.

Kansas City 4, Indianapolis 3

Indianapolis ..100000101—3	8	2	
Kansas City ..030000001—4	10	1	

Batteries: Mullin and Texter; Packard and Easterly.

PLAN CLASS PLAY

The graduating class of the normal school at a meeting on Monday decided to have a class play. It was generally believed that the play to be given by the Buskin Dramatic club would take the place of the class play, but the class was not in favor of this. It was also decided that this play was not to be Shakespearean, as were the former class plays, but modern.

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BALL SEASON TO OPEN AT SPARTA

First Game to Be Played Tomorrow Between City and High School Teams

SPARTA, Wis., April 23.—The baseball season will open in Sparta tomorrow, when the city team, the "White Sox," and the high school nine are scheduled for a game at 4 o'clock out at the fair grounds. This will be the first game for both teams. High school practice began Monday night and about twenty-five candidates reported for practice. A winning team should be picked from among this number. The city team is to be run on a sounder business basis this year than in previous years. Players are to be held to their jobs by signed contracts, which make them liable to punishment if negligent.

Harry Adams and family of Spokane, Wash., are visiting friends in Sparta. Harry is now a conductor on the new extension of the Milwaukee road, and has his headquarters in Spokane. The Adamses expect to return to the west Saturday.

TREMPEALEAU, WIS.

Mrs. Anna Cosgriff of Bangor was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Sparling Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Nicholls entertained at dinner Wednesday night in honor of Mrs. Ducklow of Wilton. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. and H. L. Sparling and Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Hutchins.

Mrs. Arthur Brink of Elroy is the guest of Miss Brink.

Miss Amanda Zaimerman spent the week with her sister, Mrs. Will Drugan.

Mr. Joe Hannam was a Galesville caller Saturday.

Mrs. George Gibbs, Mrs. Arthur Gibbs and Mrs. Grace Bemis were among the La Crosse shoppers Monday.

Mr. Harley Thomas of Chicago is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas.

Mrs. L. E. Putnam, Mrs. Charles Growt, Mrs. Bert Lane and Mrs. John Towner attended the meeting at the home of Mrs. Oscar Bergquist of Galesville Saturday, given by the ladies of the Norwegian church.

Mr. Everett Smith and Ira Lehman were in Winona on business Saturday.

Mrs. George Moore was a Galesville shopper Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Holmes will move into the residence recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. L. Lamb. Mr. and Mrs. Lamb will move to South Dakota with their son Elroy.

Mrs. Charles Ducklow, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Nicholls and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sparling, returned to her home in Wilton Sunday noon.

Mr. Mullendoir, who has been the guest of Douglas Crockett, returned to his home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Shepherd of Blair spent Saturday and Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Will Bright.

The Ladies' Aid society will hold its annual experience social at the Woodman hall Friday night. A supper will be served and every one is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Chas. Pierson and Mrs. J. Grover were Galesville shoppers Saturday.

Mrs. Stangle returned from La Crosse, where she spent the week with her daughter, Mrs. Ollie Spear.

Mrs. Trim and daughter and Mrs. D. Payne returned to their home in Waupun Thursday.

Mr. W. A. Graves was in Winona Tuesday on business.

Mrs. E. Weldon was a La Crosse shopper Tuesday.

Mr. Howard Aldrich of Onalaska was in town on business Saturday.

Mrs. S. E. Hutchins and daughter Ruth and Miss Mae Thomas were La Crosse shoppers Saturday.

Miss Verna Bigelow and Miss Auline Nicholls were in Galesville Saturday at the home of Mrs. Oscar Bergquist.

Mrs. Fred Ford and son are in Madison visiting her sister, Mrs. Wallace Hannaman.

Miss Alma Olstead spent Saturday in Galesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Nicholls entertained at dinner Friday night Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Growt, Rev and Mrs. Wikinson, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Putnam, Mrs. Erwin Atwood, Mrs. Chas. Ducklow of Wilton, Mrs. Stangle and Mrs. Charlotte Nicholls.

Mr. Chas. Drugan, who has recently returned from Texas, visited his parents Friday.

Mrs. C. W. Thomas entertained at dinner Friday night Mr. Albert Hoberton of Greely, Col., Mrs. Morrison of San Diego, Cal., and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Merwin.

Miss Mae Thomas was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Thomas Sunday at dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bell of Winona have moved into the Payne house. Mr. Bell will work for Fred Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander are moving into the Stokes place.

Miss Jennie Bright was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Elkins at supper Sunday night.

Miss Sands of Winona is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Putnam.

Trempealeau high school beat the Onalaska highs 5 to 8 Saturday. Come again, boys. Zeb is some player.

Mrs. I. Case was a Galesville visitor Saturdaq.

Mrs. Glen Drugan is visiting her mother, Mrs. L. S. Hansen.

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MAY PROSECUTE CHEESE COMBINE

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—There is a possibility that the so-called cheese combine in Wisconsin may be prosecuted either by federal or state officials. The facts have been played before Commissioner of Corporations Joseph E. Davies at Washington, whose department is making an investigation of unlawful restraints of trade. It has also been called to the attention of the two United States senators and the congressmen of Wisconsin, the governor and Attorney General Walter C. Owen. The first action in this matter was taken last week at a meeting of the officials of the Wisconsin branch of the American Society of Equity.

LA CROSSE GIRL WINS HER POINTS

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—The members of the Women's Athletic association of the "U" to win their hundred points by perfect work on four pieces of gymnasium apparatus are: Elsie Newman, Madison; Marguerite F. Slawson, Eau Claire; Freda Boss, Superior; Charlotte L. Kurz, Milwaukee, and Helen Ulrich, La Crosse. They are the first to receive points awarded for this honor.

DANCE FOR DEBT

The Normal School Athletic association will give its annual dance in the normal gymnasium on Friday of this week. The association has a large debt to wipe out and the proceeds of this ball will be used for that purpose. This dance is the one big event of its kind during the school year.

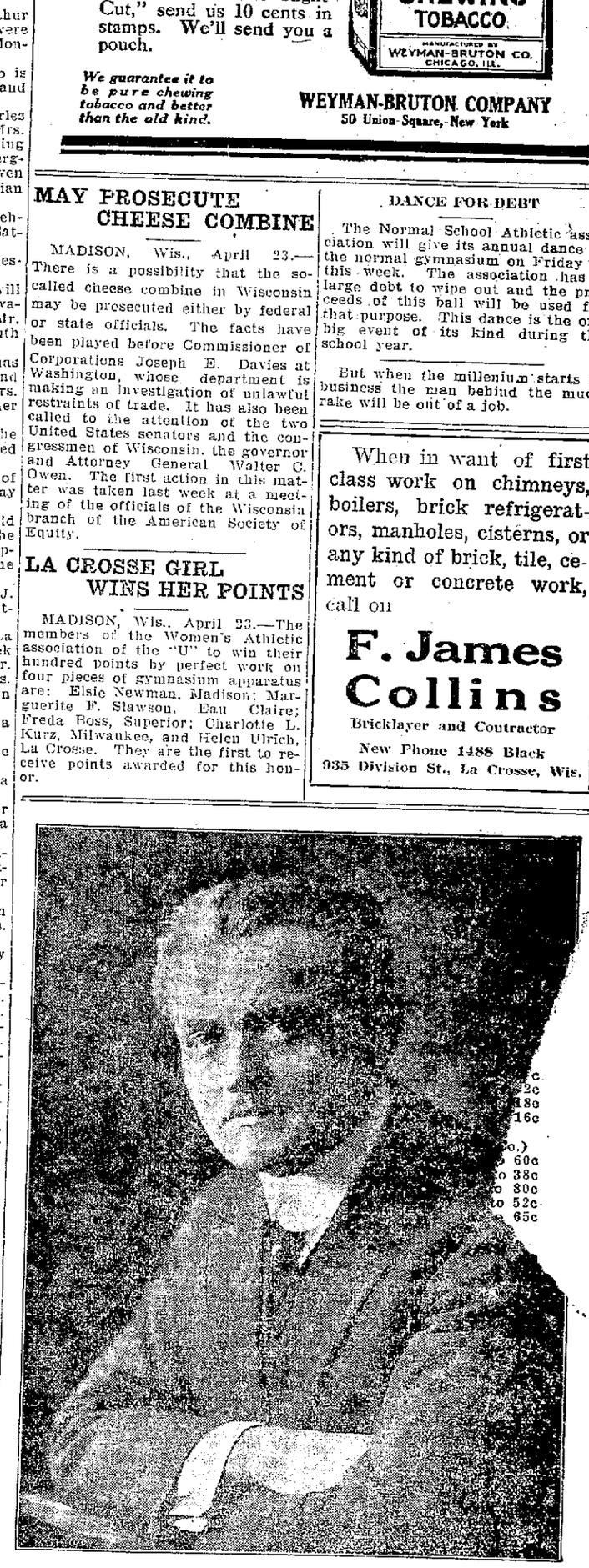
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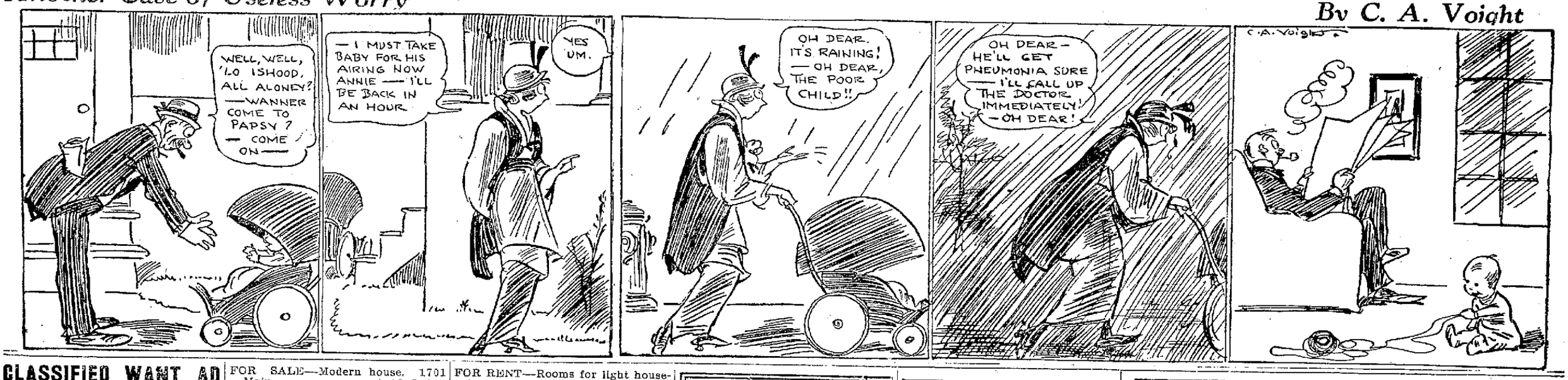
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By C. A. Voight



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WANTED—A good barber at once. Address Martin Swenson, Whitehall, Wis. 4 22 5 2

WANTED—Driver at the Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 North Sixth. 4 22 24

WANTED—Bartender at the Stoddard hotel. 4 22 24

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. Position guaranteed. Write for catalogue. Tri-City Barber College, Davenport, Iowa. thurs fri sat 3mos

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—Girl for general housework. No washing. Apply evenings. 407 South Thirteenth. 4 21 27

WANTED—Two girls at the La Crosse hospital. 4 21 tf

WANTED—Kitchen girls at the Stoddard hotel. 4 21 23

WANTED—Second girl. Call at Mrs. Henry Salzer, 17th and King streets. 4 23 25

WANTED—Girl at once. Nora house. 4 23 25

WANTED—Short order cook, at Hotel Foley, 501 Mill. 4 23 27

WANTED—Nurse girl at 926 Main. 4 23 25

WANTED—Assistant cook and floor maid at Lutheran hospital. 4 17 tf

WANTED—Two dining room girls at Hotel Hanson, Spring Grove, Minn. 4 17 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Good wages. Mrs. Smedal, 1420 Cass. 4 16 tf

WANTED—Girl to wash dishes, at the Wilson house. 4 9 tf

WANTED—Girl at 122 North Seventh. New phone 1395-C. 4 6 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework, preferably one who goes home nights. 1122 Cameron avenue. 4 20 23

WANTED—Girl to do housework at 613 Main. 4 22 24

WANTED—Dining room and kitchen girl at Hotel Doering. 4 22 28

WANTED—Competent cook. Good wages. Mrs. Law, 435 South Fourth. 4 20 tf

WANTED—Girls over 16 to learn making house dresses, aprons, . Those familiar with powtr sew- machines preferred. We pay be- ers while learning. La Crosse ent Co., 122-124 South Front t, La Crosse, Wis. 4 4 tf

FOR SALE

R SALE—Strawberry plants, Warfields and Dunlaps, 35c per hundred. W. A. Tripp, La Crosse, Wis., R. F. D. No. 3. New phone 2701. 4 18 27

COLUMBIA double disc records, 65c. Weis' Book Store, 533 Main street, opposite St. Joseph's cathedral. 4 10 5 9

FOR SALE—Good stave stove cheap. 912 South Sixteenth. 4 23 25

FOR SALE—Cheap, awning 5x10½ feet, nearly new. Inquire at 308 So. Sixth. 4 23 28

FOR SALE—Automatic refrigerator in good condition. Call at 832 Rose street. 4 23 29

FOR SALE—S. C. Mottled Ancona eggs, 75c per setting of 15 eggs. New line of wall paper at lowest price in town, at 906 Avon street. New phone 1491-M. J. F. Wilbur. 4 23 5 6

FOR SALE—4 h. p. gasoline engine. Inquire 110 Main. 4 23 29

FOR SALE—Blackberry plants, Snider, two and three years old, grown in the open, sure to fruit this season. C. L. Baldwin, new phone 928-C. 4 23 30

FOR SALE—Good team, horse and mare. 2235 Mormon Coulee road. 4 23 29

FOR SALE—Eleven room house, suitable for two families. Cheap if taken at once. Inquire 508 Farnam. 4 16 29

FOR SALE—Black dirt and clay. C. L. Baldwin, Ebner's Coulee. 4 21 27

FOR SALE—Modern house. 1701 Main. 4 18 5 1

FOR SALE—Cheap, small store front. 1424 Mississippi. 4 21 23

FOR SALE—Parlor furniture. 802 Ferry. 4 21 tf

FOR SALE—3 h. p. electric motor. Inquire 915 Logan. 4 1 tf

FOR SALE—Twin Harley-Davidson motorcycle, 1913 model. Absolutely good as new. Equipped. Better investigate this. 1223 Kane. New phone 586-C. 4 21 23

FOR SALE—Shoe repair shop on South side, with finishing machine, electric motor. S. S., Tribune. 4 21 tf

FOR SALE—Cord wood second growth oak, dry. New phone 2811. 4 21 5 4

FOR SALE—Two English pit bull pups, three months old. New phone 796-A. 4 21 26

FOR SALE—Cheap, nearly new piano, easy terms if desired. 510 Mississippi street. 4 20 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, brand new Anderson Computing Scale, and a baritone horn, at A. J. Ness' Jewelry Store, 309 Pearl street. 4 9 tf

160 Acre fertile black loam soil Jackson county, Wis. Two miles from Shamrock. 77 acres broke, can improve 50 acres more. Running water. Price $35 per acre. Will consider trade for house up to $2,500. Must be worth the money. John Ristuben, Cashton, Wis. 4 20 21

FOR SALE—Some household goods consisting of marble top walnut tables and bureau, together with dressers, commodes, beds, steel couch, etc. Gateway City Transfer Co., 214-216 Vine street. 4 20 25

FOR SALE—Eight room modern house and barn with alley. Will sell cheap and on easy terms account leaving city. 1612 King street. 3 12 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, 25 foot launch hull. Inquire 1025 South Second. 4 20 24

FOR SALE—Farm, 52 acres, seven miles from La Crosse. Inquire B. B., care Tribune. 4 18 24

FOR SALE—Horse Hospital, very cheap. For particulars write E. A. Latamore, Jackson, Minn. 4 9 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot, cheap, to settle estate. Address House, Tribune. 4 17 30

FOR SALE—Hotel, including bar, feed barn and bowling alley in village of Bangor. Call at Farmers' State Bank, Bangor, Wis. 4 13 tf

FOR SALE—Stockers and feeders, two loads of Angus, weight 900 pounds; two loads Hereford, around 725 pounds; 50 head of calves. John Carrow, Ottumwa, Iowa. Box 128. 4 13 25

FOR SALE—Property at 512 Oakland street. Inquire of F. Rassmann, Beaver Dam, Wis. 3 30 4 29

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FOR SALE—Three used autos, from $175 up. A large safe cheap. Dietz Auto Garage. 3 19 tf

FOR SALE—Gas stove; bargain. 1225 Jackson street. 4 22 28

FOR SALE—Parlor suite, rug, Morris chair, baby buggy and child's double bed. Call Saturday, 1105 State. 4 22 24

FOR SALE—5 h. p. marine engine. Inquire 620 South Third. 4 22 25

FOR SALE—Sewing machine in first class condition. Will sell at a bargain if taken at once. 1316 Sill street. New phone 1430-R. 4 22 24

FOR SALE—Driving horse, or will trade for heavier horse. Old phone 2023. 4 23 28

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FOR SALE—Five burner gas range, almost new. 1003 Cameron Ave. New phone 1272 Black. 4 22 24

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FOR SALE—Trap, suitable for small horse or pony. 821 State street. 3 30 tf

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SIX ROOM cottage, partly modern. Inquire 1739 Badger. 4 12 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. 317 South Eighth. 4 17 23

FOR RENT—Five room furnished flat downtown. Address L. L., Tribune. 4 18 tf

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TO RENT—1219 Farnam. Apply 913 State. New phone 490-A. 4 22 24

FOR RENT—Steam heated rooms for light housekeeping, modern. 508 South Fifth. 4 22 25

FOR RENT—Furnished flat for housekeeping. New phone 134-A. 4 22 24

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms. 832 Mill. 4 22 28

FOR RENT—Five room house. Inquire 717 Badger. 4 22 tf

FOR RENT—Four room modern furnished flat for light housekeeping. 712 Cass street. 4 15 tf

FOR RENT—Five rooms, 407 South 23rd street. Call at 7 o'clock evenings. 4 20 tf

FOR RENT—Front room, one of Doerflinger apartments, 503 Cass upstairs. 4 20 25

FOR RENT—Seven room house, modern except heat, well located. Phone 739-C. 4 23 tf

FOR RENT—Eight room house. 921 Vine. 4 20 25

FOR RENT—Furnished room. 324 Jay street. 4 4 tf

FOR RENT—Eleven room house, with acre of land, near State Road on 22nd street. Inquire 921 Vine. 4 20 25

FOR RENT—Single or suite of furnished rooms, very pleasant and modern. 201 South Fifth street. 4 14 tf

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeepingg. 714 Cass. 4 6 tf

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED TO RENT—By June 1st, modern five to six room house with large garden. Address A. B. W., care of Tribune. 4 21 25

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WANTED—Five or six room cottage. Call up new phone 957-R. 4 22 24

PLANTING TIME IS HERE—Let us price your wants in the nursery line. Catalogue free. The Northwood Nurseries, Coon Valley, Wis. 4 22 5 2

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WANTED TO RENT by May 1, 7 or more rooms, also barn. New phone 639-M. 4 22 29

FOR RENT—Fine furnished city heated rooms. Gentlemen preferred. No housekeeping. 129 South Seventh street. 4 23 tf

WANTED—A four or five passenger car (Ford preferred). Must be in good running order. A. Eggen, 417 North Tenth street, city. 4 23 25

I WANT you to try a Brilliant Electric Suction Cleaner in your home free. A. O. Colby. 4 20 25

WANTED—To lease hotel and bar. Live Wisconsin town preferred. Address Bar, care of Tribune. 4 18 24

DRAYMEN ATTENTION! Free dumping ground for rubbish and for ashes, cinders and dirt we will pay. Standard Oil Company, Causeway plant. 4 14 24

WEIS' BOOK STORE is now located at 533 Main street, opposite St. Joseph's cathedral. 4 10 5 9

FOR HAULING ASHES and general teaming address H, care of Tribune. 4 2 5 1

NOW IS YOUR TIME to trade city property for improved or unimproved lands. Come and see me or write. Geo. H. Prock, Rice Lake, Wis. 3 31 4 30

UMBRELLAS REPAIRED. A. Mintz, 327 North Sixth. New phone 1501-C. 3 31 tf

LOST

LOST—Gold chain with pearl pendant, probably between 20th and Cass and the normal school. Reward at Tribune office. Phone 323. 4 3 tf

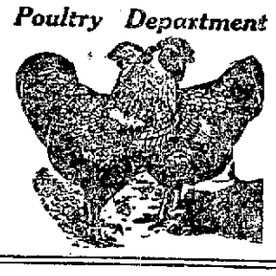
LOST—Pocketbook containing $5 bill and small change, between Sumner and Mill streets on Hagar. Return to 716 Sumner. 4 22 25

LOST—Pocketbook containing $42, owned by Ray Munn. Return to Oyen Sign Co., 125 North Third. Reward. 4 22 25

Cut Rate Shipping

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis-Minn.

Poultry Department



BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCK eggs, $1.00 for 15; $4.00 per hundred. Van Loon, La Crosse, Wis. Old phone 2054. 3 20 tf

ROSE COMB RHODE ISLAND REDS —Red to the skin, extra good color and size. Eggs $1.50 for 15; $5.00 for 100. Satisfaction guaranteed. W. H. Reed, Canton, Minn. 4 11 23

ROSE COMB BROWN LEGHORN eggs for hatching, $2.50 for 50; $4.00 for 100 eggs. John Schriver, 400 South Third street. 4 23 25

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock eggs, 50c per dozen. New phone 279-C. 4 17 23

FOUND

FOUND—Girl's gold bracelet. Picked up last winter. Apply Tribune office. 4 3 tf

FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION paid up stock is all right. 3 19 tf

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and diamonds. La Crosse Loan Co., 320 Main street, upstairs. 9 9 tf

LOANS on furniture and real estate J. W. Smith, 311 Pearl. 5 5 tf

Piano Tuning

RENIER Piano Co., New Phone 1244-M, 322 South Fourth street. 2 13 tf

Stoves and Furniture

WE PAY HIGHEST PRICES for all second-hand stoves, furniture, carpets, clothing, etc. Jacob's, 223 Pearl street. New phone 565-R. 4 4 5 3

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE and stoves. Bell Furniture & Stove Co., 216 South Third street, new telephone 1581-M. 3 2 tf

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REAL ESTATE

FOR RENT.

At New Amsterdam, 3 lots with 5 room dwelling house, barn, and shed, and a blacksmith shop, from April 1, 1914.

FOR SALE.

2 lots, 19th and Madison, cheap.

Several lots in Heniges addition, between 12th and 13th streets, at a bargain.

52x174 lot with brick house and frame house, 721 South 4th St.

235 acre farm, $30 per acre. Call at office.

15 room stone house, lot 171x99, fully modern, splendid location for rooming or boarding house.

Three residence properties on North Fourth street, regular income for rents 11 per cent gross of selling price.

C. F. KLEIN & SON

General Insurance, Bonds, Loans, Notary Public.

320 Pearl Street. La Crosse, Wis.

Snapp—Well, all the fools are not dead yet. Mrs. Snapp—I'm glad of it. I never did look well in black.

CLERGYMAN WOULD JOIN

The war fever has reached the clergy. Today Recruiting Officer Joseph Evans received a letter from the Rev. J. A. Nordling, a Lutheran minister at Grand Rapids, Wis., requesting information relative to becoming an army chaplain. His letter was referred to the adjutant general at Washington.

BRILLIANT
ELECTRIC CLEANERS
$18.50
Free Demonstration.
A. O. Colby
Both Phones. 226 N. 5th

FOREIGN MARKETS

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, April 23—The stock market opened with prices somewhat lower than yesterday's close. The weakness of the London market showed its effect here.

11 a. m.—Dullness prevailed during the first hour and there was some irregularity. Mexican Petroleum opened 2¼ off at 62 and then fell to 60⅞.

Noon—The market rallied sharply during the second hour but at noon there was a relapse into dullness. Stocks held their gains. The statement of President Wilson reiterating that operations are directly solely against Huerta and those who come to his support was favorably received.

Chicago Livestock

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., April 23.—Hogs—Receipts 13,000; market strong; 5c higher; mixed and butchers $8.30 to $8.15; good heavy $8.45 to $8.62; rough heavy $8.10 to $8.20; light $8.35 to $8.65; pigs $7.10 to $8.10.

Cattle — Receipts 4,000; market slow; weak; beeves $7.05 to $9.35; cows and heifers $3.75 to $8.50; stockers and feeders $5.50 to $8.15; Texans $7.10 to $8.20; calves $6.00 to $8.50.

Sheep — Receipts 22,000; market steady to lower; native $5.20 to $6.70; western $5.30 to $6.80; lambs $6.15 to $8.10; western $6.20 to $8.25.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, April 23.—Butter—Extras 24c; firsts 21 to 22c; dairy extras 23c; firsts 19½ to 20½c.

Eggs—Prime firsts 17c; ordinary 18 to 18½c.

Cheese — Twins 16¼ to 16½c; Young Americas 15¾ to 16c.

Potatoes—65 to 73c.

Live Poultry—Fowls 17 to 17½c; ducks 16 to 17c; geese 14c; turkeys 15c.

Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, April 23.—Wheat—No. 2 red 95 to 95⅛c; No. 3 red 94c; No. 2 hard 93¼ to 93½c; No. 3 hard 93c; No. 3 spring 93½ to 94½c.

Corn—No. 3, 65¾ to 66c; No. 3 white 67c; No. 3 yellow 66½ to 66¾c; No. 4, 64¼ to 65c; No. 4 white 64½c; No. 4 yellow 65¾ to 66c.

Oats—No. 3 white 38¼ to 38¾c; No. 4 white 38 to 38½c; standard 39¼ to 39½c.

Chicago Grain Review

CHICAGO, April 23.—Wheat was easier at the start today, losing ½ to ⅝c on reports of light rains over Kansas and Nebraska. Moderate buying followed on the dip in May futures and that month recovered ⅝c of the early loss in the forenoon.

Corn was steady at the start and then advanced ⅜c for May on reports of lighter Argentine shipments.

Oats futures were off a fraction at the start on account of the weakness in wheat and suffered additional loss of ¼c for each month in the forenoon.

Provisions were easier despite a strong hog market.

Except for a slightly firmer feeling in May corn and oats, the grain markets closed about noon prices.

Provisions continued to sag gradually until the close.

Barley and Flax

Minneapolis barley 43 to 56c.

Minneapolis flax $1.50½ to 1.52½

Chicago barley 48 to 63c.

Duluth flax $1.52½.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
May . .	92½	93	92	92⅞
July . .	87½	87¾	87⅛	87½
CORN—				
May . .	64⅜	65½	64¼	65
July . .	64¾	65	64⅜	64⅜
OATS—				
May . .	37¾	38⅜	37½	37⅝
July . .	37¾	37⅜	37¼	37⅛
PORK—				
May . .	20.17	20.17	20.00	20.05
July . .	20.32	20.32	20.10	20.15
LARD—				
May . .	10.22	10.22	10.07	11.02
July . .	10.42	10.42	10.27	10.30
RIBS—				
May . .	11.03	11.03	10.95	10.97
July . .	11.20	11.20	11.15	11.15

BONDS

We own and offer the following high grade Bonds. Can furnish $100 denominations in several of them. Where can you find as good investments?

$5,000 Tillamook Timber & Logging Co.	6 per cent
$2,000 J. K. Lumber Co.	6 per cent
$6,000 Tremont Lumber Co.	6 per cent
$11,700 Huntington Land & Improvement Co.	6 per cent
$2,000 J. S. Betts Co.	6 per cent
$4,500 C. A. Smith Lumber Co.	6 per cent
$5,000 Fosburgh Lumber Co.	6 per cent
$5,000 Union Lumber Co.	6 per cent
$5,000 Arpin Hardwood Lumber Co.	6 per cent
$8,000 Goddard & Co.	6 per cent
$5,000 Carpenter-O'Brien Co.	6 per cent
$4,000 Great Falls Power Co.	5 per cent
$5,000 Omaha & Council Bluffs Street Railway Co.	5 per cent
$5,000 Rockford & Interurban Railway Co.	5 per cent
$5,000 Cicero Gas Co.	5 per cent
$1,500 Pearsons Taft Land Credit Co.	5.3 per cent
$10,000 Red River Timber Co.	5 per cent

LA CROSSE TRUST CO.

SALE
THURSDAY ONLY
Household furniture of all kinds. Prices slaughtered. Real bargains. Call 915 South Eighth street after 9 a. m.

FOR SALE
A bargain. Property northeast corner of 7th and King streets, 104x150 feet. One 8 room brick dwelling, one 7 room cottage and barn. Will sell separate.
Phone New 513-A.

House
FOR SALE
2135 Market Street
5 rooms, partly modern.
Paved Street. 5686 Old Phone

FOR SALE
Make me an offer on a good lot, n Hillview addition, facing park. Address 59 Tribune.

FOR RENT—Two office rooms, one with fire-proof vault. Batavian National Bank.

WANTED—Female Help
We are in need of a few more girls in our knitting department. Good wages, steady work, plenty of light, sanitary conditions and a comfortable place to work. Call at once if you wish a good job. La Crosse Knitting Works.

DAILY MARKETS

Wholesale Fruit

(Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Figs, Calif., 12 to 12 oz.	85c
Dates, Anchor, 30 packages	$2.50
Dates, Excelsior, 30 packages	$2.75
Dates, Dromedary, 30 packages	$3.00
New Dates, per pound	6c
Bananas, per bunch	$1.50 to $2.00
California Lemons, box	$4.00 to 4.50
Lemons, Verdelli, 30 size box	$4.00
Oysters, Standards, gallon	$1.50
Cabbage, per hundred	$2.00
Oranges, Cal., box	$2.75
Grape Fruit	$4.00
Apples, Northern Spys	$5.00
Apples, Snows	$5.00
Apples, Grimes Golden	$5.00
Apples, Baldwins	$6.00
Apples, Greenings	$6.00
Apples, Cooking	$4.00
Apples, boxes	$1.75 to $1.90
Canada Rutabagas, per bu.	75c
Cider, Refined, per barrel	$6.50
Cider, Pure Juice, per barrel	$6.00
Cider, Crab Apple, half barrel	$5.50
Cider, Refined, half barrel	$3.75
Cider, Pure Juice, half barrel	$3.50
Onions, Yellow, per hd.	$4.00
Potatoes, per bushel	70c
Strawberries, per quart	50c

Livestock

(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)

Hogs	$7.50 to $8.00
Steers	$3.50 to $6.50
Cows	$3.00 to $5.00
Heifers	$3.00 to $5.50
Sheep	$2.50 to $3.00
Spring Lambs	$5.50 to $6.00

Poultry

Chickens	13 to 15c
Turkeys	14 to 15c
Ducks	12 to 13c
Geese	11 to 12c

Provisions

Lard, per pound	13¼ to 13¾c
Shoulders, per pound	13½c
Hams, per pound	16 to 16½c
Bacon, per pound	17 to 20c
Dried Beef, per pound	28 to 32c

Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery butter, pound	25 to 27c
Dairy butter, pound	22c
Eggs, fresh, dozen	18c
Eggs, seconds, dozen	16c

Grain

(Quoted by Thomas Phalon Co.)

Corn	50 to 60c
Oats	32 to 38c
Wheat	75 to 80c
Rye	50 to 52c
Barley	50 to 65c

Flour and Feed

(Quoted by Listman Mill Co.)

Patent, per barrel	$4.90
Straight, per barrel	$4.70

Mill Feed

Bran, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$27.00
Shorts, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$28.00
White middlings, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$30.00
Red Dog, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$31.00

Cheese

(Quoted by Hy. Anderegg)

Fancy full cream twins	14¼ to 16c
Fancy full cream daisies	15 to 16c
Fancy full cream limburger	16 to 18c
Fancy full cream Swiss block	17-18c

FIND $5 FOR ASSAULT

Fred Replogle paid a $5 fine and costs in county court this morning after pleading guilty to an assault charge. Replogle was alleged to have assaulted Benjamin Petricek.

DON'T take the word of a friend, but come and see for yourself. Compare our qualities and prices with those found elsewhere.

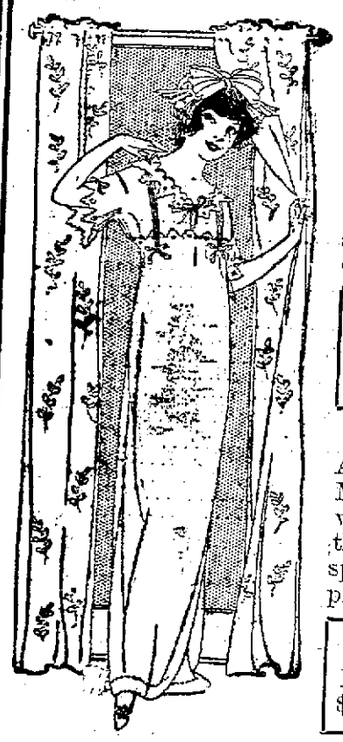
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YOU PAY LESS HERE

Remember our assortments are immense. We are in a position to satisfy all classes of trade.

EXTRA SPECIAL! EXTRA SPECIAL!

April UNDERMUSLIN SALE

Beginning this year we are going to inaugurate what will be known hereafter as our **"ANNUAL APRIL SALE OF MUSLIN UNDERWEAR."** We have made extensive preparations for this event and are determined to make this sale one of marked success and popularity. We therefore offer you an assortment of the very newest and most desirable Spring Undermuslins, unsurpassed in beauty, quality, variety or money saving opportunities. Attend this sale Friday or any of the three days thereafter. It is truly a triumph of worthy goods and an appeal to taste and economy.



Sale Commences Tomorrow at 9 A. M. and no woman who has an Undermuslin want can afford to miss this great opportunity

TABLE NO. 1
Corset Covers, the regular 25c seller, sale price each **13c**

TABLE NO. 2
One lot of **Women's Drawers**, value supreme, special sale price **13c**

TABLE NO. 3
One lot **Combination Suits**, regular $1.25 quality, special sale price **89c**

TABLE NO. 4
Contains **Gowns**, the best values ever offered, sale price **39c**



EXTRA SPECIAL!
A big lot of **Children's Drawers**, the regular 10½c quality, all sizes 2 to 12, choice during this sale for **7c**

TABLE NO. 5
A big line of White Muslin **Petticoats**, worth more than the material is worth, special sale price of **23c**

TABLE NO. 6
Has excellent quality **Corset Cover** that retail regular for 35c, special sale price **19c**

TABLE NO. 7
Princess Slips, excellent $1.00 quality, special sale price **69c**

TABLE NO. 8
Marcella Combination Suits in Crepe and plain materials, $1.25 value, special sale price .. **98c**

EXTRA SPECIAL!
In **Marcella Combination**, we doubt if they will last all day; they are the regular $1.50 and $1.75 Marcella Combination, special sale price **$1.29**

Undermuslin on the Second Floor

SPECIAL
Corset Covers, 59c value, special for **48c**

Gowns, One lot $1.75 Gowns for **$1.19**
One lot 65c Gowns for **59c**

PETTICOATS
One lot Women's long Muslin Petticoats, regular 65c value, special price each **39c**

SPECIAL
Drawers, one lot 35c Drawers, special sale price **23c**

Princess Slips
A lot of a regular $1.25 value specially priced for Friday, Saturday and Monday at **98c**

PETTICOATS
Another great value in Women's Petticoats, the regular $1.50 value, specially priced each **95c**

Princess Slips
Another lot of the $2.00 grade specially priced for the three day sale at **$1.39**

The First Day of Our Three Days' Dress Goods Sale Proves a Tremendous Success

Hundreds of women attracted by the phenomenal price reductions thronged our aisles all day. To those who have not taken advantage of this opportunity we can say but this, "You will have something to regret."

10c for finest quality 15c sheer White **India Linen.**

19c for **Ratine**, a 45c fancy Stripe Ratine for Suits and Wash Skirts.

48c for **Plain and Fancy Silk Cord** and Nub Ratine, very rich finish, all colors, that sell and are worth 75c yard.

59c for pure **French Ramie Dress Linens.** These in 12 splendid dress shades, also White, 48 inches wide.

77c for **40 inch Ratine**, always sold at $1.50 yard, in most every color, also a beautiful Brocaded Ratine in Brown, Tan, Cadet, Wisteria.

36 inch Wash Silks in fancy fast color stripes for Shirts and Wash Waists and Suits, yard **39c**

58c to 75c Brocaded Pongee Silks and Brocaded Silk Tussahs, 27 and 36 in. wide, 20 different shades in several pretty styles for Wash Waists and Suits, yd. **44c**

Yard wide Satin Messaline in Black and colors, $1.25 everywhere and a good value, 20 pieces Black and staple shades, yard **95c**

Fancy Foulards in a very excellent assortment of styles that are new, 85c and $1.00 Cheney qualities, at yard **69c**

Printed 38 inch Oriental Crepe de Chines medium and dainty colored grounds, also White grounds. A real craze. One of the most popular fabrics of the season, yard **79c**

Drugs, Domestics, Etc.

UMBRELLAS
Steel rod Umbrellas, mercerized water proof cover **39c**

PILLOW CASES
Pepperell Pillow Cases, 36x42, at each **14c**

TABLE LINEN
All of our Oil Boiled Turkey Red and Blue Table Linen, per yard **39c**

WHISKY
Duffy's Pure Malt Whisky, $1.00 bottle each **79c**

Good Evening!

FOR FRIDAY we offer additional proofs of the supremacy of our Grocery Dept. as a bargain center.

5 pounds fine Granulated Sugar	19c	Salmon, Reindeer brand, per can	15c
3 boxes (500) Matches for	10c	Cut Wax Beans, Monsoon brand, No. 2 can	10c
5 Salted Holland Herring	10c	Fancy Naval Oranges, 150 size dozen	25c
Fancy Brick Cheese, per pound	20c		
Sardines in pure olive oil, 15c value	11c		

SPECIAL—Large assortment of Rose Bushes at each **10c**

No telephone orders accepted on these Specials. No Sugar delivered unless accompanied by a small order.

Drugs, Domestics, Etc.

FACE POWDER
La Blache Face Powder, 50c box each **39c**

SAGE AND SULPHUR
Sage and Sulphur Hair Tonic, 50c bottle each **39c**

SARSAPARILLA
Hood's Sarsaparilla, a good spring tonic, $1 bottle each **79c**

SEEDS
Flower and Vegetable Seeds, good variety, pkg. **1c**

LINEN
All of our $1.00 Table Linen, per yard **85c**

NAME GRAND OFFICERS

NEENAH, Wis., April 23.—Major J. B. Schneller of the First Wisconsin infantry has made the following appointments to his staff: F. J. Schneller, Neenah, adjutant with the rank of first lieutenant; quartermaster commissary, Hans Hilsenhoff, Madison, with rank of second lieutenant; N. C. Jersild, Neenah, sergeant major, and orderlies, Richard C. Erdman, Oconomowoc; J. W. Bojinski, Milwaukee, and H. H. Albright, Neenah.

NORWEGIAN DOCTOR DELIVERS LECTURE

Rev. Sommerfelt of University of Christiania Speaks at Lutheran Church at Rushford

RUSHFORD, Minn., April 23.—On the evening of April 21st, Rushford residents had the pleasure of hearing Rev. A. Sommerfelt, M. D., pastor and physician from the University of Christiania, Norway. His subject was "The Soul's Influence on the Diseases of the body."

The Stork special stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sheldahl last Tuesday and left a sturdy little gentleman, who at once made himself at home there.

The roller skating craze has struck this city full blast and as a consequence it is scarcely safe to venture on the streets, as all those who participate in the pastime are not as careful of the rights of others as they might be.

During the Easter vacation, Mr. J. Jenson, of the city schools, went to Mitchell, S. D., to complete the necessary arrangements to taking out his second citizenship papers.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Coxe of Fountain, have been recent guests of the Craig home, in Brooklyn. Mr. Coxe was for some time instructor in the manual training department of our city schools and both her and his wife have a wide circle of friends here.

Ralph Hammond, who has been attending school at Faribault, arrived in the city last Saturday, for a six months' vacation with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gullickson of Ferry street. Master Ralph has completed his second year at the school for the blind and is very enthusiastic over the course of study pursued there. While his eyes are yet in quite good shape, it was deemed best to have him take up the work at the Faribault school. He brought home with him some very fine pieces of handiwork, made by himself. The pieces consist of a rug, pillow top, bead purses, trinket boxes, laundry bags and a large hammock.

Mr. F. A. Olson, who returned from Chicago after taking a course of treatment there, is still in very feeble health.

The Misses Carrie and Bernice Roberton arrived in this city from Great Falls, Mont., last Saturday. Miss Bernice surprised her people in Great Falls by going to spend her Easter vacation there and her sister, Miss Carrie, accompanied her back to this city for a visit.

Henry McKay, one of the prosperous farmers near Hart, has been through a very severe seige of pneumonia, but is now on the road to recovery, and if no complications set in, will soon be about again.

Another case of the careless handling of firearms occurred recently in South Rushford, when Albert Ebner sent a load of shot through one of his hands. Unless unforseen complications set in, the injured member will soon be in use again, having had immediate treatment by a physician.

Two farmers of North Prairie, Erick Bothum and Peter Bradley have decided to erect new and commodious homes this spring, Contractor Nelson having secured the contract for both places.

Mrs. Lathrop of St. Paul, is the guest of her brother, Rev. John Bantly of this city.

Stella Tofstad, who is teaching the Ferndale school, spent Sunday with her parents in this city.

A new church is being erected over at Greenleafton. Contractor J. Akre and a crew of workmen doing the work.

Louis Peterson of Harmony, has been a recent guest of the Ole Quarve and John Peterson homes in this city and of the Ensrud home in Lanesboro.

Mrs. Olaf Lee of Brooklyn, is the guest of friends and relatives at Fertile, Minn.

Mr. Madison Gregg, who we understand, is engaged in teaching at Granger, this state, has entered the race for county superintendent of schools in Fillmore county, running against Mr. Oscar Carlson, the present incumbent, who is in the race for another term.

Mr. W. H. Lee is also a candidate for the office of county superintendent of the Fillmore county schools.

The food sale held by the ladies of the Rushford Presbyterian church last Saturday afternoon, netted a tidy sum, despite the rain, which fell almost all day. These sales have but one draw back, that being the demand for home baking exceeding the supply. After this sale, it is probable that there will be held one each month, presumably at the same place, D. J. Shirven's store.

The seventh and eighth grades of our city schools have been recently admitted to the agricultural class and this summer will plant gardens of their own and attend the same.

Rev. Savig has leased the Jaastad property in North Rushford, lately vacated by Mr. J. E. Parish and family. The family of Mr. Saevig moved into their new home last week.

Work on the new residence being built by Olavas Olson, near his own home, is going on rapidly. The building will be commodious and modern, when completed.

The town of Peterson is to have a new veterinary surgeon, Mr. N. A. Scarstad having determined to locate there. The gentleman was born and raised near Peterson and therefore is well known, being one who is lucky enough to have a wide circle of friends and acquaintances.

The most enthusiastic followers of "Ike Walton" have been busy digging bait and fixing their fishing tackle, lately. Red horse and suckers are about all that have responded to their patient (?) efforts.

DANDRUFF SURELY DESTROYS THE HAIR

Makes It Dull, Brittle, Lifeless, and Causes It to Fall Out

Girls—if you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff, for it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't.

It doesn't do much good to try to brush or wash it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy, every single sign and trace of it.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop, and your hair will be silky, fluffy, lustrous, soft, and look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much dandruff you have. This simple remedy never fails.

VARSITY WOMEN WISH TO ENLIST

Students at "U" Will Serve as Nurses if Call Is Issued; Governor Reviews Troops

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—Women students of the University of Wisconsin have caught the enthusiasm over the war crisis and if a call for volunteers is made, necessitating the services of Red Cross nurses, there will be no small number of women who will leave their studies for service in field hospitals.

Among those already planning to offer their services are Marjorie Hompe, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Ruth Peck, Evansville, Ind.; Esther Levitan, Madison.

Many Willing to Go

Several said they would be willing to go if the call were urgent. They were students in medicine, among them being Edna G. Ryar, Madison; Bird Arnold, Glenn Ellyn, Ill.; Maud Hilberry, Sleepy Eye, Minn.; Clara Hillesheim, Blue River; Mary T. Roudebusch, Memphis, Tenn.; Mary Stoeber, Madison; Edith Tombagee, Chicago.

At a recent vocational conference for women students nursing was one of the subjects discussed. After the conference a large number of women held special conferences with the speaker and indicated their interest.

Governor Reviews Regiments

Wartime scenes greet Madisonians on all sides. The adjutant general's office is busy answering communications from its thirty-eight military stations over the state. Recruits to Company G, First regiment, are being drilled extra hours and the drill hall resounds with commands of drill sergeants. Two regiments of the University of Wisconsin corps of cadets passed in review before Governor McGovern and Brigadier General Holway.

Some people are so eager to be on the right side that they will take both sides.

MRS. THOMSON TELLS WOMEN

How She Was Helped During Change of Life by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



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PREPARE CALL FOR 25,000 VOLUNTEERS WILSON REFUSES REBEL DEMAND TO WITHDRAW TROOPS FROM VERA CRUZ

O'SHAUGHNESSY IS GIVEN PASSPORTS WILL START AT ONCE

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Charge O'Shaughnessy has been handed his passports by Huerta. He will leave Mexico City today or early Friday morning. This is the first official step toward open declaration of war.

Early today a cable was received from the American charge. It said: "Having been given my passports, I am leaving Thursday night or Friday morning."

This was the first word from O'Shaughnessy in over forty-eight hours.

The message from O'Shaughnessy was given out at 3:20 a. m. today. It was believed to have been received about midnight. The president was hauled from bed to hear the message read over the telephone by Secretary Tumulty who passed a sleepless night.

With Charge O'Shaughnessy enroute from Mexico City, this government waited anxiously today for an expected formal declaration of war from Huerta.

Handing O'Shaughnessy his passports formally severed diplomatic relations. Algara, Mexican charge here, was expected to ask for his passports before noon. They will be promptly turned over.

No longer is there any doubt that there is to be a general conflict with a united Mexico lined up solidly against the might of the United States. Carranza has spoken and his declaration is interpreted by President Wilson and his advisers as a threat.

There will be no more disposition shown to temporize with Carranza than there has been to condone Huerta's efforts.

Officials here believe that Huerta has a formal declaration of war ready, but so far they have not received notification of its issuance. Because of the fragmentary state of communication with the Mexican capital, they do not know whether the dictator has taken the matter up with the Mexican congress. His attitude, however, is clearly set forth in his statement of late last night, in which he said war was on and promised to have an army of 400,000 men in the field in twenty days.

GEN. CARRANZA WILL JOIN HIS FORCES WITH HUERTA AGAINST UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON, April 23.—It is a practical certainty that General Carranza, rebel chief, will join with Huerta against the United States.

Carranza last night wired to President Wilson a statement that he regarded the occupation of Vera Cruz as an act of hostility toward the Mexican nation, and demanded that the marines now holding the city be withdrawn.

President Wilson refused. In a statement issued this morning he reiterated his assertion that the United States is making war upon Huerta, not upon the Mexican people, and asserted the right of the nation to enforce its demands upon whom it saw fit.

The vital paragraph in Carranza's message follows:

"The invasion of our territory and the permanency of your forces in the port of Vera Cruz are a violation of our rights and will drag us into an unequal war with dignity, but which until today we desire to avoid * * * Huerta is a culprit and his individual acts never will be sufficient to involve the Mexican nation in a distrous war with the United States, because he is not the legitimate organ of our national sovereignty."

The diplomatic language in which Carranza's note is couched is interpreted by the administration officials to mean that the rebel chief intends to combine with Huerta, and make common cause against the United States. Carranza in his statement, declares that the occupation of Vera Cruz was an act of hostility toward the Mexican nation.

President Wilson had especially disclaimed any act of hostility to the Mexican people, particularizing Gen. Huerta as the object of the American operations to secure reprisal for offenses at Tampico and elsewhere against the American flag.

Hoped for Rebel Silence

Consequently the Washington government had hoped the constitutionalists would remain silent and not interject themselves in the imbroglio. The Carranza letter, however, confirmed the fears of many officials that the constitutionalists might side with Huerta.

The note of General Carranza was privately interpreted by officials as an open threat. His demand for withdrawal of American forces from Vera Cruz was a grave indication that United States troops might be forced not only to fight Huerta's army of impressed men, but the victorious rabble of Villa.

Wilson's Stand

The president made the following comment on Carranza's statement:

"I wish to reiterate with the greatest earnestness the desire and intention of this government to respect in every possible way the sovereignty and independence of the people of Mexico. The feeling and intention of the government in this matter is not based upon policy. They go much deeper than that. They are based upon a genuine friendship for the Mexican people and a profound interest in the re-establishment of their constitutional system. Whatever unhappy circumstances or necessities may arise, this object will be held strictly in view and pursued with consistent purpose so far as this government is concerned.

Must Punish Huetra

"But we are dealing with facts. Wherever and whenever the dignity of the United States is flouted, its international rights or the rights of citizens invaded, or its influence rebuffed where it has the right to attempt to exercise it, that government must deal with those actually in control. It is now dealing with General Huerta within the territory he controls. That he does not rightfully control does not alter the fact that he does control it.

"We are dealing, moreover, only with those whom he commands and those who come to his support. With these we must deal. They do not lawfully represent the people of Mexico. It that fact we rejoice, because our quarrel is not with the Mexican people, and we do not desire to dictate their affairs. But we must enforce our rightful demands upon those whom the existing authorities at the place where we act, do, for the time being represent."

Plan Landings

It is generally believed that as a result of the conference the orders for ship movements on the entire east and west coasts of Mexico—constitutionalist territory as well as federal—will be issued within a very short time. There is no doubt that that landings will be necessary at a number of points where foreign interests predominate but no word will be permitted to issue regarding plans.

Meanwhile, Secretary of War Garrison was at his desk conferring with the heads of the general staff of the army. He refused to make public any intimation of what the department was doing or expected to do along the border.

It was known that for a week or more high army officials have been pleading vainly with the administration heads to shut off the heavy stream of arms and ammunition that has been going across the border to the constitutionalists under President Wilson's order raising the embargo.

Order Secret Embargo

It was practically certain today that secret orders had gone out to hold up shipments of arms across the northern border. Officially there is no legal ground for such a situation, but it is believed the customs officials have been secretly tipped to use every expedient to red tape and delay clearance of such shipments.



Gen. Venustiano Carranza who as constitutionalist leader defies United Stat es and will join forces with Huerta.

BATTLE ON BORDER IS IMMINENT AS U. S. SOLDIERS ENTRENCH

TODAY'S DEVELOPMENTS IN THE MEXICAN SITUATION

President Wilson issues statement diplomatically warning Carranza and others that they will join Huerta in opposing American demands at their peril.

Grave fears for Americans in Mexico City.

Diplomatis relations with Mexico severed.

Charge O'Shaughnessy in Mexico City given passports by Huerta.

Charge Algara in Washington called to state department and handed passports by Secretary of State Bryan.

United States refuses to evacuate Vera Cruz as asked by Carranza.

Unofficial embargo placed on the shipment of arms into northern Mexico.

Total of eight Americans killed in the capture of Vera Cruz reported in dispatches from Admiral Fletcher.

Consular agents ordered to spare no expense in getting Americans out of Mexico.

Rear Admiral Mayo at Tampico reports all quiet in that city.

Warlike preparations at Tia Juana, across California border.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The war department has completed the draft of a call for 25,000 volunteers. It will not be issued until necessary, but most of the officials believe the necessity will soon arrive.

No volunteer organizations not connected with the regular militia will be considered by the war department for Mexican service.

This was made clear today to several Massachusetts militia officers, who accompanied by Senator Weeks, called upon Chief of Staff Gen. Wotherspoon.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 23.—The Mexican federal commander at Tia Juana, Mexico, 18 miles south ofhere, today ordered all non-combatants to leave there, evidently anticipating a fight with the United States troops sent to the border from Fort Rosecrans. The women and children are being taken to Ensenada and all of the men are being forced into the service of the federal army.

United States troops, just across the border, are throwing up entrenchments at San Ysidro. Captain Condon, commanding the United States soldiers, announced that all women ad childre will be ordered out of San Ysidro today.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—In a telegram received at 3 a. m. today at the navy department from Rear Admiral Badger, the following list of casualties in fighting Wednesday at Vera Cruz was reported.

DEAD:
Marine corps:
RUFUS EDWARD PERCY
SEAMEN:
L. O. FRIED.
W. I. WATSON.
F. T. DELOWRY.
A. S. STREAM.
C. A. SMITH.
H. G. DEFABIR, gunner's mate.
FRANK DEVORICK.
SERIOUSLY WOUNDED:
Marine corps:
Lieut. J. P. Laren, ordinance officer battleship New Hampshire
SLIGHTLY INJURED:
Sergt. M. Fitzgerald; Private J. Peoples; Private A. G. Ebel; Private H. E. Holsinger.
Bluejackets:
H. Pullian, fireman; C. M.Guilloan, seaman; W. Ponkowski, seaman; H. J. Kapplen, seaman; W. M. Bass, seaman; C. L. Nodsiek, seaman; J. L. Bennett, coxswain; K. Christy, seaman; H. E. Botile, seaman; J. Cantwell, no rating; A. E. Doe, seaman; .... Robinson, seaman; L. W. Taylor, no rating; F. N. Kalmers, no rating.

PLAN MAUSOLEUM FOR WEST SALEM

West Salem is to have a mausoleum similar to that of La Crosse but somewhat smaller. Preliminary steps have already been taken toward that end and articles of incorporation for the purpose of carrying on the work were filed with Register of Deeds Andrew Thompson here. B. B. Mercereau, G. W. Dudley and S. C. Sander are the incorporators. The company will be known as the Hamilton Mausoleum company and will operate without capital stock.

ORDER FLEET OUT

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The third division of the Atlantic fleet now at Boston was ordered yesterday to sail for Mexico on April 25.

WRITING NECESSARY TO JOIN THE ARMY

Bernard Egan, La Crosse recruiting officer, gives the following list of requirements to join the United States army:

Height, five feet four inches; weight, 120 pounds; hearing and sight, normal; ability to read and write the English language; first citizenship papers. Any form of disease, any physical defect such as a missing finger or toe, lack of ordinary intelligence or flat footedness will bar applicants. The most common trouble discovered in applicants, he declares, is defective eyes.

There are a lot of cheap men, although the women are blamed for low wages in many fields of endeavor.

CLERGYMAN WOULD JOIN

The war fever has reached the clergy. Today Recruiting Officer Joseph Evans received a letter from the Rev. J. A. Nordling, a Lutheran minister at Grand Rapids, Wis., requesting information relative to becoming an army chaplain. His letter was referred to the adjutant general at Washington.

EL PASO, Tex., April 23.—Acting on instructions from Washington, Col. C. P. Hatfield, commanding the Second cavalry brigade at Fort Bliss, at 11 a. m. today notified Collector of Customs Cobb to prohibit the exportation of arms and ammunition to constitutionalists or other persons through the El Paso port to Juarez or through the El Paso customs district at any point.

The constitutionalists have a shipment of 150,000 rounds of ammunition due to arrive today and also have orders for 1,500,000 cartridges enroute to El Paso

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WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

BY HAL SHERIDAN

Clark Griffith's crowd climbed to second place because the Highlanders pulled a series of misplays, giving Warhop miserable backing.

The Cobb-Crawford combined fleets worked effectively again, shelling Branch Rickey's college craft for three runs and the game in the third.

Comiskey's White Sox look like champions of the world—for the month of April, 1914.

In four Federal games yesterday, number of hits totalled 84.

While prelims for the Cub season opening were under way, Charley Murphy, late magnate, picked the Cubs as pennant winners. Charley Herzog's Reds then licked 'em, 4 to 3.

B. B. COMMISSION MEETS IN SECRET

CHICAGO, April 23.—The national baseball commission reconvened in its second session late yesterday afternoon, but information concerning what was done at the forenoon session was flatly refused. Chairman Garry Herrmann, President Ban S. Johnson of the American league, and Secretary John Heydler of the National league, representing Governor John Tener, "sat in" at the meeting.

The rule should be that no man should wed a spring chicken young enough to be known as his child wife.



8126 8058

COTTON RAILINE AND COTTON VELVET FAVORED FABRICS FOR THE TOP COAT.

Although tweed and like wool fabrics are used a great deal for the separate coat, several of the new heavy cottons are also favored; railine, golfine and cotton velvet are among these. These cotton fabrics come in all the new shades and are especially effective in the brighter yellows and scarlets. The coat shown in No. 8126 is developed in yellow cotton railine; the back extends over the shoulders to form a shaped yoke; there is an inset cuff and a turn-over collar which may be worn standing. To make this coat in size 36, requires 3¾ yards of 42 inch material. All of these cottons average 42 inches in width and range in price from $2.50 a yard and up.

The street dress illustrated in No. 8058, displays unusually trim lines and may be made up effectively in either one of the popular checks or stripes. Here it is developed in plaid, showing two shades of gray; collar, cuffs and the lower part of the vest are of black satin, and the upper part of the vest is of fine white voile with a line of tiny glass buttons extending down the front. This fine voile is much used for vests and collars at the moment and is dainty and becoming.

Five and one-quarter yards of 42 inch material is needed to make up this design in size 36.

When a girl is a prude she is generally looking for something to shock her.

SPORTS

CHANCE'S YANKEES LOSE TO SENATORS

Pitchers' Battle Goes to Washington Club; Boston and Quakers Play Tie Game

CUBS LOSE IN UPHILL GAME

Make Strong Effort to Come Back Near End of Game but Lose to Reds by 3 to 4 Score

CHICAGO, April 23.—The Cubs were defeated in a rather poor opening, 4 to 3, yesterday. Pierce held the Reds to three hits, two of which in the fourth counted three runs. The score:

	R	H	E
Cincinnati . . .000300100—4	3	2	
Chicago . . . .000100011—3	5	1	

Batteries: Ames, Benton and Clarke; Pierce, Koestner and Archer.

Philadelphia 3, Boston 1

Score:	R	H	E
Boston . . . . .001000000—1	5	1	
Philadelphia . .00001200x—3	6	0	

Batteries: Rudolph and Gowdy; Alexander and Killifer.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Washington 2, New York 1

NEW YORK, April 23.—The Senators took the rubber game from the Yanks yesterday 2 to 1, Ayres and Engle combined to beat the veteran Warhop. Score:

	R	H	E
Washington . .010010000—2	5	1	
New York . . .000000100—1	8	4	

Batteries: Engel, Ayres and Henry; Warhop and Sweeney.

Boston 9, Philadelphia 9

BOSTON, April 23.—Another tie game wound up the Red Sox-Athletic series yesterday afternoon, the score being 9 to 9. At the end of the eighth inning the game was called to allow the two teams to catch their trains. The Red Sox appeared to have a commanding lead in the fourth inning, but the champions tied the score. In the seventh Philadelphia made four more runs, but Boston did the same in the eighth. The score:

	R	H	E
Philadelphia . . .10004040—9	11	5	
Boston . . . . .00140004—9	9	2	

Batteries: Wyckoff, Houck, Plank and Schang; Bedient, Coombs, Foster, Kelly and Cady. (Called by agreement.)

Detroit 4, St. Louis 2

ST. LOUIS, April 23.—The work of Cobb and Crawford featured the opening American league game here yesterday, Detroit winning 4 to 2. Score:

	R	H	E
Detroit . . . .003010000—4	8	4	
St. Louis . . .200000000—2	10	2	

Batteries: Dauss and Stanage; Hamilton and Crossin.

Chicago 7, Cleveland 0

CLEVELAND, O., April 23. — The Naps dropped their eighth straight game, 7 to 0 to the White Sox yesterday. Score:

	R	H	E
Chicago . . . .002003200—7	5	1	
Cleveland . . .000000000—0	6	5	

Batteries: Russell, Scott and Schalk; Blanding, Collamore, Billings and Carisch.

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Buffalo 9, Pittsburg 6

Score:	R	H	E
Buffalo . . . .023112000—9	10	2	
Pittsburgh . . .000302010—6	11	5	

Batteries: Moran, Ford and Blair; Camnitz, Walker and Berry.

Baltimore 9, Brooklyn 8

Score:	R	H	E
Brooklyn . . .015010100—8	15	3	
Baltimore . . .00004032x—9	11	3	

Batteries: Seaton and Owen; Smith, Suggs, Wilhelm and Jacklitsch.

St. Louis 5, Chicago 4

Chicago . . . .002001001—4	5	1	
St. Louis . . .10003001x—5	12	1	

Batteries: McGuire and Wilson; Crandall and Hartley.

Kansas City 4, Indianapolis 3

Indianapolis . .100000101—3	8	2	
Kansas City . .030000001—4	10	1	

Batteries: Mullin and Texter; Packard and Easterly.

PLAN CLASS PLAY

The graduating class of the normal school at a meeting on Monday decided to have a class play. It was generally believed that the play to be given by the Buskin Dramatic club would take the place of the class play, but the class was not in favor of this. It was also decided that this play was not to be Shakespearean, as were the former class plays, but modern.

Standing Of Clubs

	W.	L.	Pct.
National League			
Pittsburg	6	1	.857
Philadelphia	4	1	.800
Brooklyn	3	1	.750
St. Louis	3	4	.427
Cincinnati	2	4	.333
Chicago	2	4	.333
New York	1	3	.250
Boston	1	4	.200
American League			
Chicago	7	1	.875
Detroit	5	2	.714
Washington	4	2	.667
New York	3	2	.600
St. Louis	3	4	.429
Philadelphia	2	3	.400
Boston	2	4	.333
Cleveland	0	8	.000
Federal League			
St. Louis	6	1	.857
Buffalo	3	1	.750
Baltimore	3	2	.620
Brooklyn	2	2	.500
Indianapolis	3	4	.429
Kansas City	3	4	.429
Chicago	2	5	.286
Pittsburg	0	3	.000
American Association			
Indianapolis	6	1	.857
Milwaukee	5	1	.833
Louisville	4	3	.571
Kansas City	4	4	.500
St. Paul	4	5	.444
Cleveland	3	5	.375
Minneapolis	2	4	.333
Columbus	1	5	.167

GAMES YESTERDAY

National League

Philadelphia, 3; Boston, 1.
Cincinnati, 4; Chicago, 3.
New York-Brooklyn, wet grounds.

American League

Washington, 2; New York, 1.
Chicago, 7; Cleveland, 0.
Detroit, 4; St. Louis, 2.
Boston, 9; Philadelphia, 9 (called by agreement at end of eighth inning).

Federal League

Buffalo, 9; Pittsburg, 6.
Baltimore, 9; Brooklyn, 8.
St. Louis, 5; Chicago, 4.
Kansas City, 4; Indianapolis, 3.

American Association

No games scheduled.

GAMES TODAY

National League

St. Louis at Pittsburg.
Cincinnati at Chicago.
Philadelphia at New York.
Brooklyn at Boston.

American League

Chicago at Cleveland.
Detroit at St. Louis.
Boston at Washington.
New York at Philadelphia.

Federal League

St. Louis at Indianapolis.
Brooklyn at Pittsburg.
Buffalo at Baltimore.

American Association

Milwaukee at St. Paul.
Kansas City at Minneapolis.
Cleveland at Columbus.
Louisville at Indianapolis.

M'MAHON TO COAST

NEWCASTLE, Pa., April 23.—Tom McMahon, white hope destroyer, left here today for Los Angeles, where he will fight Kid Kenneth May 8. Plans made by Promoter McCarey to bring George Chip and Patsy Brannigan to the coast for a series of fights have fallen through.

GERMANS BEAT LATINS

The team representing the girls of the normal German department defeated the girls of the Latin department in a game of basketball last night by the close score of 7 to 4. The game was the most interesting girls' game of the season.

NORMAL BALL GAME TODAY

The normal school and high school baseball teams will meet in the first real game of baseball in this city this season this afternoon. Saubert and Holthaus will in all probability be the normal battery, while King and Weeks serve them up for the highs.

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BALL SEASON TO OPEN AT SPARTA

First Game to Be Played Tomorrow Between City and High School Teams

SPARTA, Wis., April 23.—The baseball season will open in Sparta tomorrow, when the city team, the "White Sox," and the high school nine are scheduled for a game at 4 o'clock out at the fair grounds. This will be the first game for both teams. High school practice began Monday night and about twenty-five candidates reported for practice. A winning team should be picked from among this number. The city team is to be run on a sounder business basis this year than in previous years. Players are to be held to their jobs by signed contracts, which make them liable to punishment if negligent.

Harry Adams and family of Spokane, Wash., are visiting friends in Sparta. Harry is now a conductor on the new extension of the Milwaukee road, and has his headquarters in Spokane. The Adamses expect to return to the west Saturday.

TREMPEALEAU, WIS.

Mrs. Anna Cosgriff of Bangor was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Sparling Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Nicholls entertained at dinner Wednesday night in honor of Mrs. Ducklow of Wilton. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. and H. L. Sparling and Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Hutchins.

Mrs. Arthur Brink of Elroy is the guest of Miss Brink.

Miss Amanda Zaimerman spent the week with her sister, Mrs. Will Drugan.

Mr. Joe Hannam was a Galesville caller Saturday.

Mrs. George Gibbs, Mrs. Arthur Gibbs and Mrs. Grace Bemis were among the La Crosse shoppers Monday.

Mr. Harley Thomas of Chicago is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas.

Mrs. L. E. Putnam, Mrs. Charles Growt, Mrs. Bert Lane and Mrs. John Towner attended the meeting at the home of Mrs. Oscar Bergquist of Galesville Saturday, given by the ladies of the Norwegian church.

Mr. Everett Smith and Ira Lehman were in Winona on business Saturday.

Mrs. George Moore was a Galesville shopper Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Holmes will move into the residence recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. L. Lamb. Mr. and Mrs. Lamb will move to South Dakota with their son Elroy.

Mrs. Charles Ducklow, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Nicholls and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sparling, returned to her home in Wilton Sunday noon.

Mr. Mullendoir, who has been the guest of Douglas Crockett, returned to his home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Shepherd of Blair spent Saturday and Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Will Bright.

The Ladies' Aid society will hold its annual experience social at the Woodman hall Friday night. A supper will be served and every one is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Chas. Pierson and Mrs. J. Grover were Galesville shoppers Saturday.

Mrs. Stangle returned from La Crosse, where she spent the week with her daughter, Mrs. Ollie Spear.

Mrs. Trim and daughter and Mrs. D. Payne returned to their home in Waupun Thursday.

Mr. W. A. Graves was in Winona Tuesday on business.

Mrs. E. Weldon was a La Crose shopper Tuesday.

Mr. Howard Aldrich of Onalaska was in town on business Saturday.

Mrs. S. E. Hutchins and daughter Ruth and Miss Mae Thomas were La Crosse shoppers Saturday.

Miss Verna Bigelow and Miss Auline Nicholls were in Galesville Saturday at the home of Mrs. Oscar Bergquist.

Mrs. Fred Ford and son are in Madison visiting her sister, Mrs. Wallace Hannaman.

Miss Alma Olstead spent Saturday in Galesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Nicholls entertained at dinner Friday night Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Growt, Rev and Mrs. Wikinson, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Putnam, Mrs. Erwin Atwood, Mrs. Chas. Ducklow of Wilton, Mrs. Stangle and Mrs. Charlotte Nicholls.

Mr. Chas. Drugan, who has recently returned from Texas, visited his parents Friday.

Mrs. C. W. Thomas entertained at dinner Friday night Mr. Albert Hoberton of Greely, Col., Mrs. Morrison of San Diego, Cal., and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Merwin.

Miss Mae Thomas was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Thomas Sunday at dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bell of Winona have moved into the Payne house. Mr. Bell will work for Fred Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander are moving into the Stokes place.

Miss Jennie Bright was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Elkins at supper Sunday night.

Miss Sands of Winona is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Putnam.

Trempealeau high school beat the Onalaska highs 5 to 3 Saturday. Come again, boys. Zeb is some player.

Mrs. I. Case was a Galesville visitor Saturdaq.

Mrs. Glen Drugan is visiting her mother, Mrs. L. S. Hansen.

Nell—"She is one of those women who are positively unhappy unless they are miserable." Belle—"Yes, she is thoroughly convinced that a thorn in the flesh is worth two in the bush."



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MAY PROSECUTE CHEESE COMBINE

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—There is a possibility that the so-called cheese combine in Wisconsin may be prosecuted either by federal or state officials. The facts have been played before Commissioner of Corporations Joseph E. Davies at Washington, whose department is making an investigation of unlawful restraints of trade. It has also been called to the attention of the two United States senators and the congressmen of Wisconsin, the governor and Attorney General Walter C. Owen. The first action in this matter was taken last week at a meeting of the officials of the Wisconsin branch of the American Society of Equity.

LA CROSSE GIRL WINS HER POINTS

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—The members of the Women's Athletic association of the "U" to win their hundred points by perfect work on four pieces of gymnasium apparatus are: Elsie Newman, Madison; Marguerite F. Slawson, Eau Claire; Freda Boss, Superior; Charlotte L. Kurz, Milwaukee, and Helen Ulrich, La Crosse. They are the first to receive points awarded for this honor.

DANCE FOR DEBT

The Normal School Athletic association will give its annual dance in the normal gymnasium on Friday of this week. The association has a large debt to wipe out and the proceeds of this ball will be used for that purpose. This dance is the one big event of its kind during the school year.

But when the millenium starts in business the man behind the muck rake will be out of a job.

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Richard Bennett in "Damaged Goods" at La Crosse Theater Monday, April 27.

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WHAT CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION DOES

(BY J. M. WYLIE)

The state civil service commission has recently come in for its share of damning as one of those "useless state bureaus," and it has variously been called a figurehead and a job trust, to sustain the assertion that state jobs are still filled with political favorites and incompetents. So Secretary J. A. Hazelwood, who happens to be also a prominent democrat, was asked what his commission was supposed to be for, anyway, and if it was accomplishing its purpose. This is his reply:

The Wisconsin civil service commission seeks to eliminate politics, religion, friendship and relationship as considerations for state service, and insert in lieu thereof merit and fitness for the work to be performed. In the early history of our government the scholar, statesman and politician were one and the same person. The merit system was truly put into operation during the early history of our country without civil service provisions. George Washington selected his subordinates wholly on the basis of fitness for the duties to be performed. He refused to appoint relatives to public office. Jefferson went further and reluctantly appointed friends to positions in public service.

The spoils system came into existence during the days of Andrew Jackson. During the first twenty-five years of our nation's history there were but thirty changes or dismissals of employes in public service. During "Old Hickory's" first term there were 2200 removed from public service owing to political beliefs, and at the behest of friends Andrew Jackson appointed henchmen in their places. Inefficiency in public service resulted.

WISCONSIN FELT THE BALEFUL INFLUENCE OF THE SPOILS SYSTEM FOR MANY YEARS. AT EACH CHANGE OF STATE OFFICERS AND CHANGE OF SUPERINTENDENTS OF OUR INSTITUTIONS THERE FOLLOWED A GENERAL DISMISSAL OF EMPLOYES. EFFICIENT ONES WERE DISMISSED AND INEFFICIENT ONES TAKEN INTO THE STATE SERVICE. Frequent changes in employes in any service cannot be otherwise than detrimental.

All the large cities of the country and most of the states of the Union have civil service provisions for the selection of subordinate employes. THE CIVIL SERVICE LAW IN WISCONSIN WAS ENACTED BY ALMOST UNANIMOUS VOTE OF THE LEGISLATURE IN 1905. THE APPOINTING AUTHORITIES OF THE STATE ARE NO LONGER TOOLS OF POLITICAL FRIENDS IN THE MATTER OF THE SELECTION OF THEIR ASSISTANTS. PRIOR TO THE ENACTMENT OF THE CIVIL SERVICE LAW MANY OF THE APPOINTING AUTHORITIES WERE MERELY PUPPETS JERKED BY UNSEEN STRINGS WHEN IT CAME TO A MATTER OF APPOINTING PEOPLE FOR STATE SERVICE.

Men in public life are coming to realize more and more that they are placed under great trusts and responsibilities, and no man has the right to use his trust for his own selfish ends. Graft and corruption have resulted in many of our municipalities on account of the indifference on the part of the public towards the selection of public officials.

THE WISCONSIN CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION HAS NOW ABOUT 2,500 EMPLOYES UNDER ITS SUPERVISION. MOST OF THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN TAKEN INTO STATE SERVICE SINCE 1906 HAVE BEEN EMPLOYED AFTER PASSING COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS. PUBLIC SENTIMENT IN WISCONSIN IS BACK OF THE CIVIL SERVICE WORK. ANY CITIZEN IN THE STATE WHO HAS THE ABILITY AND DESIRE, HAS A RIGHT TO SERVE THE PUBLIC IF HE BE THE BEST QUALIFIED FOR THE RESPONSIBILITY. The state of Wisconsin is entitled to the best service of the best men and women it can secure for the money it is willing to pay. The best men and women can be held to the highest standards of efficiency, and be made to feel that it is an honor to render public service.

We are a government of men, and we can have no government better than the men who administer it. In the administration of the laws of the state there are positions that require men of large initiative and executive ability; there are others that require only ordinary ability on the part of those called upon to perform the service. This being true, it naturally suggests that great care must be exercised in the selection of men to fill the various positions.

The Wisconsin civil service commission has the work so well organized at the present time that the merit system's usefulness is sure to increase. There is a lot of room for the extension of the system in the state; in fact, APPOINTING AUTHORITIES ARE CONSTANTLY CALLING UPON THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION FOR ITS ASSISTANCE IN THE SELECTION OF EMPLOYES NOT BY LAW PLACED UNDER CIVIL SERVICE. This fact suggests that the commission has the confidence of those in authority to select employes. NO ONE IN WISCONSIN WHO IS SERIOUS WITH HIMSELF DESIRES TO RETURN TO THE OLD SYSTEM OF SELECTING STATE EMPLOYES.

THE ATTACKS MADE UPON THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION DURING THE FORMER YEARS OF ITS EXISTENCE PROVED TO BE UNJUSTIFIABLE. THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION HAS UNDOUBTEDLY SUCCESSFULLY ACCOMPLIHED ITS PURPOSE IN SELECTING EFFICIENT MEN AND WOMEN FOR PUBLIC SERVICE. Public sentiment cannot be created anywhere in the state among thinking men unfavorable to the excellent work being carried on by the civil service commission. It is the desire of the representative citizens to extend, enlarge and encourage the work of the civil service commission.

PLAN CLASS MEET

At a meeting of the executive board of the normal athletic association it was decided to hold a class meet on May 16. Besides the junior and senior class teams there will be a team from the physical course and one from the college students. This meet is being held so as to get a line on the men in order that a good team may be developed for the inter-normal meet.

A lot of unhealthy people are found around the celebrated health resorts.

Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

Old-Fashioned

I've eaten round for many years and
got along some way,
But I don't hanker much for no
huttel or swell cafe.
Of course their cookin' is all right
for these here city folk
Who never had no better, but to me
it is a joke.
The fine French names they fasten
on the grub don't cut no ice;
And then, again, it's really not a
matter of the price.
I know of something that beats all
their fancy pies and cake—
Then bakin' powder biscuits that my
mother used to make.

Of course, that's what they all say
and the subject's mighty old.
But it brings back some memories
you couldn't buy for gold.
You fellers all remember 'em. Your
mother made 'em, too;
It was a simple little trick these
high-toned chefs can't do.
I've searched the country over, but
I've searched it all in vain,
It somehow seems to strike me I'll
ne'er taste their like again.
The cookin' schools ain't graduating
pupils who kin bake
Them bakin' powder biscuits like my
mother used to make.

Team Work

"How did you manage to see everything in Rome inside of two days?"

"Well, you see, we got up early; my wife went to the shops, my daughter to the picture galleries, and I took in the restaurants. In the evening we compared notes."—Exchange.

No Elevators for Him

Cyrus (entering the sixteenth-floor office of the Syndicate building, perspiring and panting)—Them stairs must be several miles long!

Occupant of Office—Why didn't you come up in one of the elevators there?

Cyrus—Not much! I jes' see one of 'em full o' people fall down that hole there!

His Fish

Cook—The gang has the laugh on Beanbrough.

Frye—What's the idea?

Cook—When Beanbrough was in Florida he sent what he said was a postcard picture of a big fish he caught.

Frye—That so?

Cook—Yes; but you know, he is a trifle nearsighted, and the postcard he picked out bore the picture of a submarine boat.

The Dream Was All Right

Donald was troubled with indigestion, which made necessary a careful supervision of his diet. One night at dinner he asked for a second helping of dessert.

"No, Donald," said his aunt. "Don't you remember the last time you ate so much pudding how it made you dream about lions and tigers and all sorts of wild animals?"

"Well, I don't care," he whimpered, "it made me dream that I had a great big gun there, too!"—Delineator.

0 Corn-less Joy! "GETS-IT" for Corns

Nothing in the World Can Beat It for Corns and Calluses

Now try the different way, the new way, the absolutely sure way, the painless way of getting rid of those corns that have pestered the life and soul out of you for such a



"I Feel Like Hugging Somebody. My Corns Are Gone At Last. 'GETS-IT' Did It."

long time. Drop everything else and use "GETS-IT." A few drops applied in a few seconds does the work. Useless junk, like flesh-eating salves that make corns swell, cotton rings that make corns stand up like pop-eyes, razors, corn diggers, scissors and files that make corns grow faster, are all done for. "GETS-IT" is on a new principle, makes corns shrivel, vanish! It can't stick to the stocking, or hurt the flesh.

"GETS-IT" is sold by all druggists, 25c a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.



MADAM, 'phone your grocer today for MARVEL—the flour that makes

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MARVEL is made of highest quality spring wheat, doubly rich in flavor, richness, strength, nutriment. Absolutely in a class by itself because of its better baking and longer lasting qualities.

Bakes more loaves to the barrel than ordinary flour; bread of marvelous texture and still better taste. If the saving doesn't appeal to you, the bread will!

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At Your Grocers

LISTMAN MILL COMPANY, LaCrosse, Wisconsin

Hot and Cold

"Every time I see grandfather's sword I want to go to war."

"Well?"

"But every time I notice grandfather's wooden leg I cool down."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Poor Service

"I do have the worst trouble with the phone."

"What's the cause?"

"The service, of course. Let me show you. 'Hello, exchange, hello. Why don't you answer? I want Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Julia Brown. What number? Sixty-two Tanglefoot street. Number? I just told you. O, that? You mean her telephone number? Why, it's—there, you've gone and put it all out of my head. I'll have to look in the book. Dear, dear, the book is upsetrs. Well, I never in all my life saw such service!"

Couldn't Fool Him

The farmer bought a pair of shoes in the city shop. "Now, can't I sell you a pair of shoe trees?" suggested the clerk.

"Don't get fresh with me, sonny," replied the farmer, bristling up; "I don't believe shoes kin be raised on trees any more'n I believe rubbers grow on rubber trees or oysters on the oyster plants, b'gosh."

Wanted a Chance

Little Bertha was invited out to dinner with her father and mother; before she went, however, it was firmly impressed upon her mind that she must not speak unless spoken to. All went smoothly for a while, but when some time had elapsed, and no notice was taken of her, she began to get uneasy.

Finally the hostess, seeing something was wrong, asked her what she would like next.

"I should like to have you begin to ask me questions," was the polite reply.—Lippincott's Magazine.

Cold Matter of Fact

Customer—Are these five or six wedding rings all you have in stock? Why, you've got a whole trayful of engagement rings.

Jeweler—Yes, sir, and it will take that whole trayful of engagement rings to work off those five or six wedding rings."

LAWRENCE STUDENTS PARADE.

APPLETON, Wis., April 23.—The first war demonstration here occurred when 100 Lawrence students were ready to enlist.



By HAROLD MACGRATH

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"An incident," she repeated.

"Could I be more?" with sudden fierceness. "Could I be more in any woman's life? I take myself for what I am, but the world will always take me for what I have done. Yes, I am Paul Ellison, forgotten, I hope, by all those who knew me. Why did you come into my life to make bitterness become despair? The blackest kind of despair. Elsa Chetwood, Elsa! . . . . Well, the consul is right. I am a strong man. I can go out of your life, at least physically. I can say that I love you and I can add to that good-by!"

He wheeled abruptly and went quickly down the gallery, bareheaded, without any destination in his mind, with only one thought, to leave her before he lost the last shreds of his self-control.

It was then that Elsa knew her heart. She had spoken truly. She was a pagan; for, had he turned and held out his hands, she would have gone to him, gone with him, anywhere in the world, lawfully or unlawfully.

XIX.
Two Letters.

Elsa sang. She flew to her mirror. The face was hers and yet not hers. Always her mirror had told her that she was beautiful; but up to this moment her emotion had recorded nothing stronger than placid content. Now a supreme gladness filled and tingled her because her beauty was indisputable. When Martha came to help her dress for dinner, she still sang. It was a wordless song, a melody that every human heart contains and which finds expression but once. Elsa loved.

Doubt, that arch-enemy of love and faith and hope, doubt had spread its dark pinions and flown away into yesterdays. She felt the zest and exhilaration of a bird just given its freedom. Once she slipped from Martha's cunning hands and ran out upon the gallery.

"Elsa, your waist!"

Elsa laughed and held out her bare arms to the faded sky where, but a little while since, the sun had burned a pathway down the world. All in an hour, one small trifling space of time, this wonderful, magical thing had happened. He loved her. There had been hunger for her in his voice, in his blue eyes. Presently she was going to make him feel very sorry that he had not taken her in his arms, then and there.

"Oh, beautiful world!"

"Elsa, what in mercy's name possesses you?"

"I am mad, Martha, mad as a March hare, whatever that is!" She loved.

"People will think so, if they happen to come along and see that waist. Please come instantly and let me finish hooking it. You act like you did when you were ten. You never would stand still."

"Yes, and I remember how you used to yank my pig-tails. I haven't really forgiven you yet."

"I believe it's going home that's the matter with you. Well, I for one shall be glad to leave this horrid country. Chinamen everywhere, in your room, at your table, under your feet. And in the streets, Chinamen and Malays and Hindus, and I don't know what other outlandish races and tribes. . . . Why, what's this?" cried Martha, bending to the floor.

Elsa ran back to the room. She gave a little gasp when she saw what it was that Martha was holding out for her inspection. It was Warrington's letter of credit. She had totally forgotten its existence. Across the face of the thick Manila envelope (more or less covered with numerals that had been scribbled there by Warrington in an attempt to compute the interest at six per cent) which contained the letters of credit and identification was written in a clerical hand the owner's name. Martha could not help seeing it. Elsa explained frankly what it was and how it had come into her possession. Martha was horrified.

"Elsa, they might have entered your room; and your jewels lying about everywhere! How could you be so careless?"

"But they didn't. I'll return this to Mr. Warrington in the morning; perhaps tonight, if I see him at dinner."

"He was in the next room, and we never knew it!" The final hook snapped into place. "Well, Wednesday our boat leaves;" as if this put a period to all further discussion anent Mr. Parrot & Co. Nothing very serious could happen between that time and now.

"Wednesday night." Elsa began to sing again, but not so joyously. The petty things of every-day life were lifting their heads once more, and of necessity she must recognize them.

She sat at the consul-general's table; informally. There was gay inconsequential chatter, an exchange of recollections and comparisons of cities and countries they had visited at separate times; but neither she nor he mentioned the chief subject of their thoughts. She refrained because of a strange yet natural shyness of a woman who has found herself; and he, because from his angle of vision it was best that Warrington should pass out of her life as suddenly and mysteriously as he had entered it. Had he spoken frankly he would have saved Elsa many a bitter heartache, many a weary day.

Warrington was absent, and so were his enemies. If there was any truth in reincarnation, Elsa was confident that in the splendid days of Rome she had beaten her pink palms in applause of the gladiators. Pagan; she was all of that; for she knew that she could have looked upon Mallow's face with more than ordinary interest. Never more would her cheeks burn at the recollection of the man's look.

She was twenty-five; she had waited longer than most women; the mistake of haste would never be hers. Nor did she close her eyes to the future. She knew exactly what the world was, and how it would act. She was not making any sacrifices. She was not one of those women, lightly balanced, who must have excitement in order to exist; she depended upon herself for her amusements. With the man she loved she would have shared a hut in the wilderness and been happy. One of the things that had drawn her to Arthur had been his quiet love of the open, his interest in flowers and forests and streams. Society, that division of classes, she had accepted, but to it she had never bowed down. How very well she could do without it! She would go with him and help him build bridges, help him to fight torrents and hurricanes, and to forget. That he had bidden her farewell was nothing. She would seek him. In her pursuit of happiness she was not going to permit false modesty to intervene.

(To be Continued.)

The Home Beauty Parlor.

By Betty Dean

Vera B.: Yor skin will grow soft, clear and smooth after a few applications of a plain almozoin jelly-cream, made at home as follows: Put 4 tablespoonfuls glycerine into ½ pint water and in this dissolve 1 ounce almozoin (which you can buy at your druggist's). Apply a thick coat of this to the skin before retiring, then wash off in the morning and use more of the jelly-cream for massaging. This gradually dispels the wrinkles and lines and banishes pimples, blackheads and the "muddy," oily look. The almozoin jelly-cream is greaseless and will not grow hair.

Mrs. A. T.: You may not require glasses. Get from your druggist 1 ounce crystos and dissolve in 1 pint water. Then put a few drops in the offending eye several times a day until inflammation and soreness have vanished. This crystos eye-tonic is especially good for granulated eyelids and using it strengthens the eyes and gives them a youthful sparkle.

Adeline: The reason for that dryness of hair after your shampoo is because that kind of soap irritates the scalp's tissues and makes them over-sensitive. Canthrox will correct this, for it it a tonic as well as cleanser and is so stimulating to the blood-vessels and scalp-tissues that the danger is entirely eliminated. To prepare your shampoo, dissolve a teaspoonful of canthrox in a cup of hot water, then pour it slowly on the head as you rub briskly. This dissolves every trace of dust, dandruff and excess oil, and after rinsing, the hair will dry quickly and evenly.

Lucy G.: Loss of weight is a serious matter and calls for prompt action. Get from your druggist 1 ounce kardene and put it, together with ½ cupful sugar, into ½ pint alcohol, then add hot water to make a full quart. Take a tablespoonful before each meal. This simple, home remedy increases your appetite and gently cleanses the system of impurities, restores a healthy condition to the vital organs. When this is done your weight will be normal and the glow of health will be upon your cheeks.

Mrs. A. R. J.: I make a good lotion that is very helpful to my skin by dissolving 4 ounces spurmax in ½ pint witch hazel or hot water, to which is added 2 teaspoonfuls glycerine, which will soon correct that oily, sallow, "wornout" appearance of your complexion. This simple lotion is soothing and healing and imparts a velvety smoothness and natural loveliness to the complexion not possible with powder and rouge. You will like the spurmax lotion because it is easily applied and cannot be detected when on.

Lucile: I always use a plain quinzoin hair tonic, made at home by pouring 1 ounce quinzoin into ½ pint alcohol, then adding ½ pint water. Rub a little well into the scalp twice a week and you will soon rid the scalp of dandruff and restore the hair roots to health. The regular use of the quinzoin tonic will restore the former gloss and even color to the hair and make it soft, long and fluffy.

Mrs. M. N. T.: Your excess weight can be easily and quickly reduced by taking this parnotis treatment, made at home, as follows: Put 4 ounces parnotis (which you can get at your drug store), in 1½ pints hot water and strain when cool. Take a tablespoonful before meals until weight is where you want it. No harm results from the use of the parnotis treatment, and the flesh is left solid and the skin soft and smooth.

Betty Dean's Beauty Book, $5.—(Adv.)

KENOSHA MEN WITH FLEET

KENOSHA, Wis., April 23.—Four Kenosha young men are with the fleet now at Vera Cruz, the list including Fred Palmgreen, JJr., a gunner's mate of the New Jersey; Tony Paccinni, a gunner on the flagship Arkansas; Richard Rehm, on the Michigan, and William Knietberger, on the New Jersey. All have been in the navy for several years.

Are Your Hands Tied?



by a chronic disease common to womankind? You feel dull—headachey? Backache, pains here and there—dizziness or perhaps hot flashes? There's nothing you can accomplish—nothing you can enjoy! There's no good reason for it—because you can find permanent relief in

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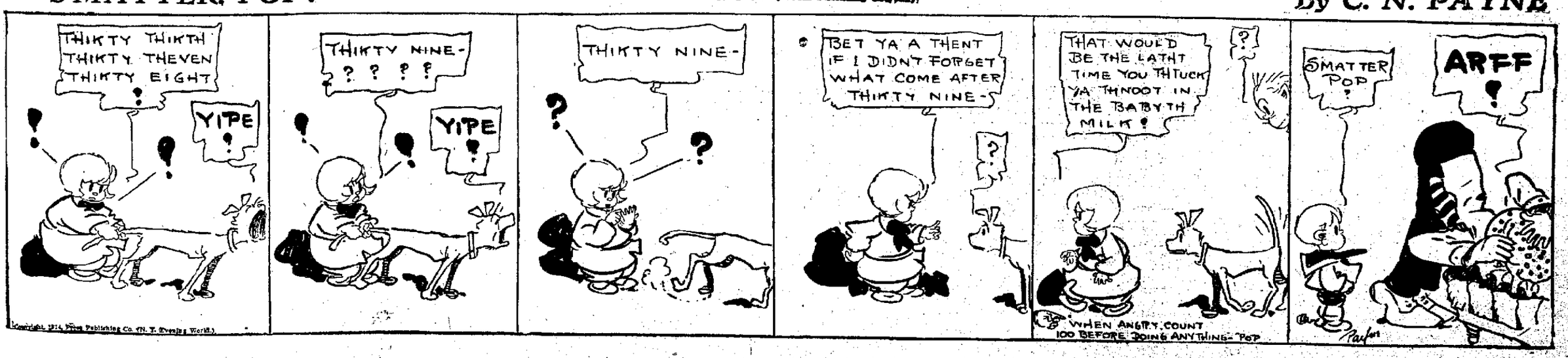
Mrs. Fannie H. Brent, of Bryant, Nelson Co., Va., writes: "I believe I had every pain and ache a woman could have, my back was weak, and I suffered with nervousness and could not sleep at night. Suffered with soreness in my right hip, and every month would have spells and have to stay in bed. I have taken eight bottles of your 'Favorite Prescription' and one vial of your 'Pleasant Pellets'. Can now do my work for six in family, and feel like a new woman. I think it is the best medicine in the world for women. I recommend it to all my friends and many of them have been greatly benefited by it.

Dr. PIERCE'S PLEASANT PELLETS Relieve Liver Ills!

"S'MATTER, POP?"

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By C. N. PAYNE



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FORTY HOURS SILENCE OF AMERICAN DIPLOMAT WORRIES WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Every hour's additional delay in hearing from Charge O'Shaughnessy at Mexico City added to the apprehension of the administration yesterday that something serious had developed in Huerta's capital.

Surrounded by rumors of the assassination of Mr. O'Shaughnessy in Mexico City, and reports that he has been handed his passports by Dictator Huerta, officials of the state department were worried yesterday over the diplomat's long silence. No word has been received from him since day before yesterday, when he transmitted the last of Huerta's reply to Wilson's ultimatum, refusing to accede to the demands of the United States.

Bryan Acknowledges Error

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Secretary Bryan was quoted today as saying that marines had been landed at Tampico, but later said he meant to refer to Vera Cruz. He has consistently, in talking today to newspapermen, used the word "Tampico" instead of "Vera Cruz," he said. This mistake has led to misunderstandings.

Secretary Bryan admitted that he had no word from the charge, but he said that if Huerta had handed his passports to the diplomat, it was certain that the dictator would have allowed O'Shaughnessy to wire his government to that effect.

For forty hours not a single direct word has come from the American charge. The government here is utterly without information of what is transpiring behind the scenes in Mexico City, or of the fate of Americans there. Frantic but futile efforts have been made to get into communication.

It is not known whether the cable lines have been cut to prevent word of anti-American demonstrations being sent out, or whether the Mexican government, as a final crowning insult to the United States, has merely refused to permit O'Shaughnessy to transmit any word to his chiefs here.

The apprehension of the state department force has extended throughout the entire administration circles. Army officers are bitterly lamenting the delay—completely unexplained—which keeps them impotent, ready for action, but leashed.

The state department late this afternoon was in touch with other embassies here, endeavoring to learn whether they had any word of events in the Mexican capital that would throw light on whether our people there are safe.

In addition to the apprehension over the fate of Americans, the question of what is to be done in dealing with shipments of arms to the constitutionalists in northern Mexico is a momentous source of trouble at the present time. The border patrol in Texas has notified the war department that a number of unusually large shipments are enroute, consigned through El Paso to Juarez.

Menace to U S.

The army and navy council of defense has made it very plain to high officials that these shipments or arms may prove a terrible menace to the American cause. They have recommended to Secretary Bryan that the president revoke his orderissued some weeks ago raising the embargo on arms and put back into effect the prohibition of any shipments into Mexico. Secretary Bryan and his legal advisers have been examining the law and procedure generally, but so far no decision has been arrived at as to a course of action.

It was reported that one shipment had already been seized. This report for obvious reasons will not be discussed by army officials.

May Force Issue

Secretary Bryan has been given to understand that if the embargo is again placed on arms the constitutionalists may be expected to accept such action as a moral affront and immediately make close and common cause with Huerta. On the other hand, the army and navy officials responsible for our success in war have flatly warned the state department that if these munitions cross the border a great part will find their way into hands of men armed to oppose the American forces.

CHARGE ALGARA REPRESENTING HUERTA WILL DEMAND HIS PASSPORTS FROM THE U. S. BEFORE MIDNIGHT THURSDAY

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Uness he is anticipated by the United States government, and its acts, Senor Algara, the Mexican charge here, will ask for his passports sometime between now and midnight Thursday night, unless in the meantime the present difficulty with Mexico has been amicably adjusted. This was learned by the United Press from a high diplomatic official source this afternoon.

It was stated that Algara had communicated his intention to two of the foreign embassies here. He explained that he had been given discretionary order by General Huerta and that he was now convinced after an examination of precedents, that the only thing left for him to do will be to demand his passports and return to Mexico. While this will not necessarily mean a declaration of war, it will mean a complete cessation of diplomatic intercourse between the administration and Huerta and will force this government to direct O'Shaughnessy to close the United States embassy in Mexico City and come home.

When told that this information had been secured from a local embassy, Senor Algara refused positively to comment on it.

TOM MORRIS' SON RECRUITS EIVE MEN FOR GUARD COMPANY

Howard Morris, 18-year-old son of Lieut.-Governor Thomas Morris, is a young local patriot who has been enthused over the prospect of actual fighting in Mexico and the chances of the local militia to see a part of that fighting.

When President Wilson ordered the fleet to Tampico, Young Morris, knowing that Company M, of which he is a member, did not boast its full fighting strength, started out for recruits. He got them. Captain Fowler is authority for the statement that he was instrumental in securing five new men for the guard.

Young Mr. Morris is reticent on the affair, declining to take the credit for securing the new national guardsmen and claiming that "I just talked to them—they probably would have joined anyway."

HOLD UP ARMS FOR CARRANZA ARMY

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Advices were received in this city this afternoon that a large shipment of arms consigned to the constitutionalists has been held up by the border patrol. The war department will ask the department of justice whether these munitions are to be permitted to cross the border for possible use against American forces later.

Officials positively refused to give any details whatever at this time.

FORCE MEXICANS T OSALUTE FLAG

TOPEKA, Kan., April 23.—Infused with the war spirit, 500 high school and grade school students deserted their school rooms and marched through the main streets. The compelled a band of railroad laborers to salute the flag.

FORTIFY ON BORDER

CALEXICO, Cal., April 23.—Mexican regulars at Mexicali, Mexico, across the border from here, worked feverishly last night and today, throwing p earthworks within a few feet of the international border. It is estimated that 300 well armed troops comprise the Mexican garrison. Three hundred Calexico citizens today offered their services to the commander of the First cavalry stationed here.

LOCAL COMPANIES VOTE TO SERVE IF WAR CALL COMES

Not a Negative Vote Cast in Either Company M or B in Tribune's Poll

HAVE THE RIGHT TO DECLINE

Must Vote by Companies on Question of Leaving United States Soil

BOTH CAPTAINS ARE POSITIVE

Declare that Could All Have Been Reached the Vote Would Have Been Unanimous

A poll of Company M of this city today disclosed the fact that if called upon the company will vote to join the forces of the United States for the invasion of Mexico.

A poll covering less than a majority of Company B indicates that this company also will vote to serve, and Captain John M. Bradley assures The Tribune that they will go "to a man."

The United States has no legal power to compel the militia companies to leave the territory of the United States, and the law provides that the companies may determine the matter by a vote in which the majority shall rule. In case a majority of a company votes to accept the call, the other members are legally bound by the vote, and must go.

Tribune Polls Them

Early this morning The Tribune began a poll of the companies. Of the sixty-five men in Company M, forty-four were reached, and every man answered that he would vote to be. As forty-four is a majority of the company, the vote puts it on record as ready to serve.

The canvass om Company B is incomplete, less than a majority having been reached. But of the fourteen interviewed, every man promptly and emphatically declared be would vote to go, and Capt. John M. Bradley says he will vouch that every man in his company will respond in the affirmative.

Capt. F. H. Fowler of Company M says he is certain that not a man of those not reached will oppose entering the service in Mexico, and there is every indication that the vote of both companies will be unanimously in favor of serving in Mexico, if need be.

Those Who Voted

Following is a list of the members of the local companies who voted in favor of accepting service in Mexico:

COMPANY M

Frank W. Griffee, 813 Badger; Ernest Hodous, 1216 West avenue south; Alfred F. Holtz, Onalaska; John A. Hartung, 930 Adams; Fred E. Johnson, 514 South Eleventh; Raymond B. Lovold, 1018 South Ninth; George E. Mason, 1002 South Second; Edward H. Morris, 1309 main; Cecil Smith, 1619 Jackson; Erwin Sheldon, 624 South Third; F. H. Fowler, 920 South Ninth; G. H. Hale, 922 Cameron; William Ruplin, 514 North Eleventh; D. M. Erickson, 827 South Fourth; C. W. Thompson, 901 South Sixth; W. J. Torrance, 1304 South Sixteenth; Ludwig Moe, 1519 Winnebago; Earl G. Sloan, 608 North Ninth; Alfred A. Nesham, 517 Pine; Arthur D. Carr, 1337 Kane; L. W. Miller, 508 South Tenth; R. F. H. Schultz, 234 South Third; Frank J. Bettin, 1701 Badger; Fred B. Bailey, 1116 South Sixth; Ambrose Coughlin, 1539 Wood; Carrol C. Coulan, 703 Pine; Harry Drake, 1518 Market; Charles C. Deroucher, 803 La Crosse; Robert E. Drager, 220 Cass; Hugo J. Enders, 717 Mississippi; W. A. Sorensen, Sixth and Main; Edward W. Skalland, 1608 South Seventh; Arthur W. Scharpf, R. F. D. No. 2; George A. Haberman, 516 Cass; Orville B. Woll, 1432 Charles; Marcus C. Byers, 1348 Kane; Robert N. Johnson, 705 South Second; Thomas Doyle, 621 State; George Biertel, 336 South Fifth street; Theodore C. Garder, 424 Oakland; Karlton A. Hmleven, 508 King; Louis Johnson, 1725 Mississippi;

COMPANY B

John M. Bradley, 328 Mississippi; George Roellig, 1501 Badger; Herman Rupp, 1608 Farwell; Otto Prochnow, 1506 Badger; Thomas Sholes, 1607 State; Percy Robare, 407 North Seventeenth; Charles Robare, 507 North Seventeenth; Walter Shuda, 409 North Sixteenth; Frank J. Netwal, 1510 La Crosse; Leonard Strech, 614 North Fifteenth; Emil O. Schultz, 913 South Second; William Buchda, 1107 La Crosse; Benjamin Sewoski, 2151 Market; S. W. Jehlen, 1225 Farnum.

HUERTA PLAYS BILLIARDS

CHICAGO, April 23.—Victoriano Huerta plays billiards—between battles—on a Chicago made table.

Huerta's order on the Mexican treasury for $1,000 was received in payment for his billiard room equipment by a local firm.

"He plays several games every night," says a letter from the Mexico City agent.

HUERTA DEAD OR ALIVE TEXT OF ORDERS TO ARMY

If Military Is Called Into Action It Will March Straight for Mexico City

BLOODY MARCH TO THE CAPITAL

Progress of Relieving Column to Mexican Chief Town Will Be Most Difficult in History

BY JOHN E. NEVIN
(Staff correspondent of the United Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Huerta dead or alive!

That will be the order issued to the army should eventualities in Mexico force the president to use that branch of the service in the present Mexican crisis.

There is no doubt of that in the minds of officials here. The army general staff admits this. They expect that orders must come before very long despite the hope of the president and his advisers that after Vera Cruz is pacified Huerta will agree to make amends for past insults.

A member of the general staff, discussing with the United Press the failure to move the army up to the present, said:

"We are basing our non-action on three premises:

"First, that there will be no massacres of foreigners in Mexico City.

"Second, that Huerta will formally declare war against this country in accordance with international usage before taking the field.

"Third, that the constitutionalists will not join him.

"Of course, should word come before the army moves that there has been assassination in Mexico City, the marines and bluejackets now at Vera Cruz must necessarily form a relieving column and make a forced advance on the capital, and that will be the bloodiest march in American history, I fear. General Scott had to divide his forces at Pueblo because of the mountains beyond there in whose passes a small force can wipe out a much greater one trying to advance.

"If the army moves it has been given thoroughly to understand that its object will be to get Huerta, alive or dead."

VETERANS PLEDGE WILSON SUPPORT

Spanish War Boys at Meeting Last Night Pass Resolution Endorsing the President

CIVIL WAR VETERANS APPROVE

Message to Executive Carries with It Names of the Members of Local Camps of G. A. R.

Pledging endorsement to President Wilson in his actions and in any future course he may take in Mexico, eighty Spanish war veterans met last night and unanimously passed a resolution of support which was immediately wired to the president. The endorsement carries with it the endorsement of the local Grand Army men, the civil war veterans being honorary members of Casberg camp, No. 11, S. U. S. W. V.

The resolution adopted follows:

"Assembled on the 16th anniversary of the first call for volunteers in the war with Spain, Casberg camp, No. 11, U. S. W. V., including as honorary members, the two local posts of the Grand Army of the Republic, Wilson-Colwell post, No. 38, and John Flynn post, No. 77, pledge our unanimous endorsement and support to the president of the United States in all measures which may be taken for the protection of American citizens and the restoration of peace and order in Mexico.

"F. W. LEAHY,
"GEO. R. LONGBRAKE,
"A. H. ENGLEHARD,
"Committee on Resolutions."

TO FORM COMPANY ON NORTH SIDE

It is rumored that a company will be organized on the north side in case a call comes from the president for volunteers. No definite plans have been made for the move, but it is understood that in case of an emergency, James McConnell and other Spanish War veterans and several men who have served in the regular army and the militia, will organize a company, preference to be given to single men in recruiting.

$2.00  Franco-German Ring
CURES RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA, SCIATICA, AND KINDRED DISEASES.
Money Refunded if it fails.
FOR SALE AND GUARANTEED BY
GEO. B. ROSE, The Jeweler
310 MAIN STREET

Dead and Wounded In Vera Cruz Fight

WASHINGTON, April 23.—A revised list of the casualties in the first battle of Vera Cruz, announced by the navy department today shows four dead, six seriously wounded and nine wounded. The list follows:

Marine corps, dead:

Private Daniel Aloysius Haggerty, 8th company, Second A. B. regiment, re-enlisted January 7, 1911, at Boston, Mass. Next to kin, father, Michael Haggerty, 16 Harding street, Cambridge, Mass.

Private Samuel Marten, 16th company, Second A. B. regiment, enlisted June 23, 1913, at Chicago, Ill. Next to kin, father, Mayer Marten, 1817 Taylor street, Chicago.

Seriously wounded:

Private George Draine, 17th company, Second A. B. regiment, enlisted February 3, 1913, at Chicago, Ill. Next to kin, mother, Estelle Draine, 2312 Union street, St. Joseph, Mo.

Private Edward P. Peterson, 16th company, Second A. B. regiment, enlisted July 31, 1913, at Cleveland, Ohio. Next to kin, father, Walter Peterson, 61 Cedar street, Malone, N. Y.

Wounded:

Private George Maurice Davidson, 16th company, Second A. B. Regiment, enlisted April 16, 1911, at Chicago, Ill. Next to kin, mother, Martha M. Davidson, Oskaloosa, Ia.

Private John McMillan, 16th company, Second A. B. regiment, enlisted March 11, 1913, at Chicago, Ill. Next to kin, mother, Frances McMillan, Mayfield, Manitoba, Canada.

Private Richard Shaker, 17th company, Second A. B. regiment, enlisted June 21, 1913, at New York city, N. Y. Next to kin, mother, Fredericka Shaker, 45 South Bridge street, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Private Harry J. Reed, 16th company, Second A. B. regiment. Enlisted August 2, 1913, at Cincinnati, Ohio. Next of kin, mother, Irene Reed, 418 South LaSalle street, Chicago.

Sailors dead:

George Poinsett, seaman, born April 10, 1894; home address 5321 North 12th street, Philadelphia, Pa. Next of kin, Wm. Poinusett, father, same address. Seaman Poinsett enlisted at Philadelphia June 26, 1911, and was assigned to the Florida.

John F. Schuumacher, coxswain, born Dec. 5, 1889; home address 161 Harmon street, Brooklyn, N. Y. Next of kin, mother, Isabella McKinnon; same address. Coxswain Schumacher enlisted November, 1907, at New York and was re-enlisted November 5, 1910. He recently was transferred from the Wheeling to the Florida.

Seriously wounded:

Clarence Rex Harshbarger, seaman, born March 31, 1892; home address 160 Center street, Waverly, N. Y. Next of kin, C. O. Harshbarger, father, 160 Center street, Waverly, N. Y. Enlisted January 21, 1911, at Waverly, N. Y. Harshbargar was attached to the U. S. S. Utah.

Joseph Louis Kwapich, seaman, born March 6, 1893; home address 21 Sopieski street, Rochester, N. Y. Next of kin, John Kwapich, father, same address. Enlisted April 26, 1911, at Rochester, N. Y. Was attached to U. S. S. Utah.

Henry N. Erickson, boatswain's mate, second class, born Dec. 22, 1888; home address 127 Twelfth street, Wheeling, W. Va. Next of kin, Augusta Nickerson, mother, same address. Enlisted March 1907 and re-enlisted April 19, 1911, at Cleveland, O. Was attached to the U. S. S. Utah.

Edward A. Gisburn, electrician, third class, born June 14, 1892; home address 54 Summer street, Quincy, Mass. Next of kin, John R. Gisburn, grandfather, 1932 Seventeenth street, Washington. Enlisted August 30, 1910, at Boston, Mass. Was attached to the Florida.

Wounded:

William H. Mangels, seaman, born Nov. 17, 1894; home address 18 Main street, Yonkers, N. Y. Next of kin, John Cotters, guardian, 18 Main street, Yonkers, N. Y. Enlisted Sept. 17, 1912, at New York. Attached to the Utah.

Frederick Nanz, ordinary seaman, born July 4, 1895. Home adress 463 Mimrod street, Brooklyn, N. Y. Next of kin, Marie Nanz, mother, same address. Enlisted March 19, 1913, at New York. Attached to the Utah.

Nathan Schwartz, ordinary season, born April 22, 1893; home address 223 East Fourth street, New York City. Next of kin, Harry Schwartz, brother, same address. Enlisted Sept. 21, 1912, at New York. Attached to the Florida.

James H. Horance Copeland, seaman, born July 13, 1892. Home address Monterey, Tenn. Next of kin, J. M. Copeland, father, Monterey, Tenn. Enlisted Jan. 17, 1911 at Chattanooga, Tenn. Attached to the Utah.

The department has communicated with the next of kin in each case. In the cases of the men seriously wounded and wounded the next of kin has also been informed that they will be advised of any new developments.

JACKIES GO EAST

CHICAGO, April 23.—With drums beating and flags flying, 187 jackies from the naval training station at Lake Bluff left for the east this afternoon. Of the party 75 will go to New York and 112 to Philadelphia to be assigned to ships most in need of their services.

STUDENTS OFFER SERVICES

CHICAGO, April 23.—A delegation of University of Chicago students this afternoon visited the army recruiting office and offered the services of 150 maroon students, if enlistment of volunteers is authorized.

HALF HUNDRED REPORTED DEAD IN THE FIGHT

Two-thirds of the Known Dead Are of Families of the Striking Miners

MANY BURN TO DEATH IN TENTS

Rifle Shelter Pit Under Tent Gives Up Bodies of 13 Children and 2 Women

DENVER, Col., April 23.—It was announced at the governor's office today that five coal mine guards had been killed by the strikers at the Delagua mine of the Victor-American Fuel company, Delagua, Colorado. The killing is supposed to be an outgrowth of the fourteen hour battle fought at Ludlow Monday.

DENVER, Col., April 23.—All Colorado shuddered with horror today as the details of the fourteen hour battle fought at Ludlow Monday were revealed in newspaper dispatches from Trinidad and official reports to Acting Governor Fitzgerald from militiamen in the field.

Thirty-three known dead, more than two-thirds of whom are women and children, a score missing and more than a score wounded—this is the toll taken by the battle which the United Mine Workers and other labor organizations have already named "The Slaughter of the Innocents."

To Fight Again

With arms ready, both sides at daylight today awaited a resumption of the blood-letting and fears were expressed that should it be renewed the slaughter will equal if not exceed that of Monday. Several companies of militia, recruited from mine guards employed by the coal operators, are encamped at Ludlow. Monday they drove the strikers from their tent colony at Ludlow and it is charged, set fire to the tents, thereby causing the greatest loss of life. Early today, Trinidad dispatches say, they were prepared for a machine gun sortie from their position along the Colorado and Southern railroad tracks at each side of the Ludlow railroad station. On the surrounding hills, sheltered by rocks and boulders, 400 strikers awaited their coming, while their ranks were being swelled by grim faced men who had tramped overland in the darkness, carrying guns and ammunition from neighboring union camps. Italian, Greek and Austrian miners have appealed to their consular representatives for protection.

If another battle is fought its outcome may determine the fate of the strike of union coal miners in Colorado. Both sides face it as a battle to the death, without thought of quarter.

Strikers Demand Arms

In Trinidad the situation is scarcely less acute. Strikers crowded about the union headquarters, and, with the image of the flaming tents of Ludlow before their eyes, demanded guns and cried for an opportunity to attack the mine guards and militia.

Ludlow camp is a mass of charred debris. In the holes which had been dug under the tents for their protection against rifle and machine gun fire, women and children perished when the flames swept over their colony. One pit, uncovered late yesterday, disclosed the bodies of thirteen children and two women.

FOREIGNERS IN VERA CRUZ ARE NOT IN DANGER

U. S. Troops Afford Ample Protection to Americans and Others in Captured City

VERA CRUZ, April 23.—Foreigners and Americans in Vera Cruz have escaped without harm during the fighting here. American troops held back when pursuit of the fleeing Mexicans would have brought the fighting zone into the hotel district where non-combatants are quartered. None has been reported molested.

Anti-American Riots at Puerto

GALVESTON, Texas, April 23.—A radio message received this morning from Dr. George R. Taber, United States public health officer at Puerto, Mexico, advised of anti-American riots at that port with destruction of British and Aherican property. He has taken refuge on board the steamship Dakotian.

Japan is Neutral

TOKIO, April 23.—The Japanese government will remain strictly neutral, insofar as the war between the United States and Mexico is concerned. This was announced by government officials here today. A Japanese warship is now on the Pacific coast of Mexico and will stand ready to take Japanese citizens aboard.

DENY BRYAN RESIGNS

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Secretary Tumulty at the White house this afternoon officially denied a report ed circulated today, that Secretary to President Wilson as the result of the bloodshed at Vera Cruz. Tumulty said the story was absolutely without foundation.

FEAR THE REBELS WILL JOIN HUERTA AGAINST THE U. S.

No Definite Information but Constitutionalist Junta Admits Situation Is Grave

CARRANZA IS WITH DICTATOR

Head of Rebel Government Has Expressed Belief All Should Unite Against U. S.

VILLA HURRIES TO JUAREZ TODAY

Commander in Chief of Carranza's Forces Expected with Heavy Guard Today

WASHINGTON, April 23.—No word has come to officials regarding what they can expect from Carranza and the constitutionalists. There is a general belief that they will oppose the United States.

At the constitutionalist junta here it is admitted that the situation is grave.

Carranza is reported to have expressed the belief that Mexicans should unite against a common enemy. Villa is rushing toward Juarez. As a result stringent orders have been issued to the border patrol to redouble its vigilance.

Regimental, battalion and troop commanders have been ordered to hold their men in check and to enforce the strictest discipline. Nothing is to be done that might tend to inflame the Mexicans or to show that the administration has changed its belief that the "great mass of the Mexican people are our friends."

The view that the rebels will aid Huerta is apparently negatived by the following dispatch from El Paso:

"EL PASO, Texas, April 22.—General Francisco Villa, supreme commander of the Mexican constitutionalist army in the field is expected to arrive in Juarez today with a strong escort of troops. It was announced that he came to visit his family but it is believed that the real reason is that General Carranza desired Villa to direct affairs in Juarez during the present crisis and to prevent the Juarez constitutionalist garrison doing anything that would involve the rebels with the United States."

JUST OUT OF NAVY READY TO RE-ENTER

Wenzel Hanus Who Served on Ships and in Marine Corps Says He's Ready to Respond

WHIPPING MEXICO TEDIOUS TASK

Says It Will Not Be Accomplished in Few Days as Most People Think; Climatic Conditions Bad

Four years' service as an American marine and just out of the navy after serving a four year enlistment, Wenzel Hanus, 1110 Market street, son of Ambrose Hanus, today announced that he was ready and willing to re-enlist any time it became apparent his services would be of value to the United States.

Mr. Hanus, when in the marine corps, rounded the horn with the American fleet when it circled the globe and remained in the service until 1910. Then, after a brief vacation, he re-entered the service of his country as a machinist in the navy and served until March of this year. Most of Mr. Hanus' most recent service has been in South America.

"I've served eight years," said Mr. Hanus today, "and am ready to enlist any time my services are needed. I am undecided whether to reenter the navy or join the army. I believe I shall enter the navy, however. If I do I shall request assignment to a battleship."

Mr. Hanus, who in 1908, visited various Mexican ports, believes the United States will have tedious work in the event of a real war with Mexico. Climatic conditions will be an obstacle of no mean proportions.

"They'll have to chase the Mexicans around, picking them one at a time," he said. "While there is no doubt of the outcome it will take much longer time than most people believe."

STATE BANKERS TO DISCUSS RESERVE

E. M. Wing, vice president of the Batavian National bank, and other Wisconsin bankers, will meet in St. Paul Friday, there to formulate plans for the federal reserve bank recently located at Minneapolis by the federal reserve board.

The session will be in the morning. In the evening they will be banqueted and listen to an address by George W. Reynolds, Chicago.

Other bankers to attend the meet are F. J. Carr, Hudson; F. W. Humphrey, Shawano; E. J. Perry, Fond du Lac; Carl Rudquist, Ashland; J. W. Dennigan, Stevens Point.

SOMETHING NEW AND BETTER

Bangor Lager

A new brand of Bottled Beer put on the market by the

Hussa Brewing Company

BANGOR WISCONSIN

"HUSSA" stands for all that is perfect in good beer, and

Bangor Lager

is the connoisseur's fulfillment of beer perfection. BANGOR LAGER is absolutely pure, clear as amber, perfectly delicious in flavor, and characterized by its rich, creamy, full-bodied qualities, the acme of pale beer perfection. BANGOR LAGER is the

BEER DE LUXE

Bottled in dark bottles. Sold Everywhere.

SPOTLIGHTS

"DAMAGED GOODS"

"Damaged Goods," Eugene Brieux's great sociological drama which Richard Bennett and his original New York company of co-workers will present in the La Crosse Theater for one night, Monday, April 27th, has the distinction of being the only theatrical entertainment ever presented in the National capital on the Sabbath day. This event took place last April, when under the auspices of the Society for Social Hygiene of the District of Columbia, Richard Bennett brought his company to Washington from New York City in order that members of congress and other officials in national life might see the play and pass judgment upon its fitness for presentation before the general public.

More than four thousand applications for seats were received for this single performance, whereas the capacity of the theater was limited to seventeen hundred.

If one excepts the marvelous Passion Play, presented at Oberammergau every ten years, this Washington performance of "Damaged Goods" was the most impressive production, from a religious standpoint, ever made. The Rev. Dr. Donald C. MacLeod opened the performance by reading the preface of the play from the stage and he was followed by the Rev. Dr. Earle Wilfley, who delivered an impassioned prayer asking for a divine blessing.

In the audience were the most distinguished senators and representatives in Congress and their wives, many diplomats of renown and more than fifty leading clergymen of all denominations. President Wilson's cabinet was represented by Postmaster-General Burleson and Secretary of Labor Wilson and his daughter.

How American Women May Keep Faces Young

"The American smart woman ages early, far earlier than the English woman," says Christian Miller, F. C. I., the famous English health expert. She adds that our climate "so exhilarates that you over exert yourselves and grow old before you know it. That same exhilarating air dries the skin. The skin that lacks moisture grows pale and withered looking and soon forms wrinkles.

"The American complexion" is best treated by applying pure mercolized wax, which caused the faded, lifeless cuticle to flake off in minute particles, a little each day, until the fresh, young skin beneath is wholly in evidence. Every druggist has this wax; one ounce is sufficient. Spread on at night like cold cream, washing it off next morning.

For wrinkles, dissolve an ounce of powdered saxolite in a half pint witch hazel; bathe the face in this. Immediately every wrinkle is affected, even the deeper lines. Both treatments are remarkable facial rejuvenators.

PEDESTRIAN STOPS TO SELL TRIBUNE

"Scotty" the 'Frisco newsboy, who has undertaken to walk from San Francisco to New York in 230 days, stopped over in La Crosse long enough to sell The Tribune on the streets here yesterday. Scotty, whose real name is Finklestein, maintains he is a son of the bonny highlands. He has now been on the trip 78 days but still has to visit several Canadian cities on the trip. Incidentally Scotty is carrying letters from the mayor of San Francisco to various cities in both the United States and Canada, boosting the 1915 exposition.

Medicine and Mortgages.

Certainly no patient could receive a dose of medicine like that prescribed to Brown and have the patience to take it. Yet Brown's doctor was a land speculator. When not making out prescriptions he was making out mortgages. It was when in a dual state of mind that he gave Brown the following instructions along with the prescription:

"One half down and the balance every six months for four years."—New York Tribune.

Tempering the Wind.

Fallon (who has bought a small farm)—Tell me the truth, Mr. Carney, is the soil rich or poor? Expert Gardener—Well, sor, I should say it wor wanst rich, but it's now in raydooced circumstances.—Puck.

While the longest day is supposed to come in June, we will contend it is Saturday in a barber shop.

CO-EDS WOULD NURSE

URBANA-CHAMPAIGN, Ill., April 23.—Co-eds of the University of Illinois, in a mass meeting here today adopted a resolution declaring their willingness to aid the government in a Mexican war by enlisting as nurses or raising subscriptions. Forty male students declared themselves ready to enlist on a moment's notice.

How to Save Your Eyes

Try this Free Prescription

Do your eyes give you trouble? Do you already wear eyeglasses or spectacles? Thousands of people wear these 'windows" who might easily dispense with them. You may be one of these, and it is your duty to save your eyes before it is too late. The eyes are neglected more than any other organ of the entire body. After you finish your day's work you sit down and rest your muscles, but how about your eyes? Do you rest them? You know you do not. You read or do something else that keeps your eyes busy; you work your eyes until you go to bed. That is why so many have strained eyes and finally other eye troubles that threaten partial or total blindness. Eyeglasses are merely crutches; they never cure. This free prescription, which has benefited the eyes of so many, may work equal wonders for you. Use it a short time. Would you like your eye troubles to disappear as if by magic? Try this prescription. Go to the nearest wideawake drug store and get a bottle of Optona tablets; fill a two-ounce bottle with warm water, drop in one tablet and allow it to thoroughly dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. Just note how quickly your eyes clear up and how soon the inflammation will disappear. Don't be afraid to use it; it is absolutely harmless. Many who are now blind might have saved their eyes had they started to care for them in time. This is a simple treatment, but marvelously effective in multitudes of cases. Now that you have been warned don't delay a day, but do what you can to save your eyes and you are likely to thank us as long as you live for publishing this prescription.

ENGLISH CAPITAL SAVES U. S. ROADS

Supply $15,000,000 to Lift Receivership and Extend the K. C. M. & O.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 23.—The long expected reorganization of the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient railroad probably will be effected within the next few days. It is predicted that the receivers who have conducted the road for more than two years will be discharged and the road built from Wichita, its present terminus, to Kansas City.

Lord Monson, chairman of the English organization committee, and P. D. Tuckett, president of the Electric Light system of London, and also interested in the re-financing plans, will arrive in Kansas City today. Their purpose presumably is to appear before Judge Pollock of the Federal court to assure him that the fifteen million dollars necessary to lift the receivership have been subscribed by the English financiers who have interested themselves.

TRAMP IS SHOT BY ELROY KIDS

Barney Mack, a knight of the road, arrived here today from Elroy, Wis., with a bullet hole in his left leg and a pitiful tale of want.

Mack says he was sitting near a railroad track at Elroy yesterday when he suddenly felt a sharp pain in the calf of his leg. Investigating he found blood flowing from a bullet wound and a bunch of children carrying twenty-two caliber rifles scampering off in the distance.

A doctor later dressed the wound and extracted the bullet. Then the good citizens of Elroy purchased a ticket for Mack and forwarded him to Poor Commissioner Sol Burdick for further care. Burdick is still undecided as to where he will consign the human cargo.

Bayonet Fencers.

Fencing with bayonets is the most popular as well as the most dangerous game among soldiers in the regular army. Those who participate must be strong and skillful, and the game is not one for weaklings. The regulation outfit is a mask, heavily padded coat and padded gloves. The bayonets are tipped with rubber, but despite these precautions men are often hurt in the set-to. Each regiment has its champions, selected by a process of elimination from the various companies. When these champions meet on one of the field days often held at brigade posts the rivalry is intense.—Popular Mechanics.

Willie's Comeback.

The teacher was telling the children a long, highly embellished story about Santa Claus and Willie Jones began giggling with mirth, which finally got beyond his control.

"Willie! What did I whip you for yesterday?" asked the teacher severely.

"Fer lyin'!" promptly answered Willie.—Everybody's.

TAKE SALTS TO FLUSH KIDNEYS

Eat less meat if you feel Bachachy or Have Bladder Trouble

Meat forms uric acid which excites and overworks the kidneys in their efforts to filter it from the system. Regular eaters of meat must flush the kidneys occasionally. You must relieve them like you relieve your bowels; removing all the acids, waste and poison, else you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sours, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment; the channels often get irritated, obliging you to get up two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids and flush off the body's urinous waste get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine and bladder disorders disappear. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys and stop bladder irritation. Jad Salts is inexpensive; harmless and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then, thus avoiding serious kidney and bladder diseases.—Agent, Chas. A. Beyschlag, Druggist, 508 Main street.

A "MOTOR CYCLE MIKE" IS MILLER

Company M Corporal May Become Only Motorcycle Expert in Wisconsin Regiments

APPEALS TO WAR DEPARTMENT

Captain Fowler Asks General Holway to Secure Special Permit for La Crosse Man

Should Adjutant General Orlando Holway accede to the request of Captain F. H. Fowler, La Crosse, Company M will have the only "Motorcycle Mike" of the Wisconsin National guard.

Corporal Albert Miller, Company M, is the owner of a powerful four cylinder motorcycle. He is an expert rider, has traveled the prairies of the west with it and has sought permission to take it to Mexico.

Captain Fowler has written to General Holway at Madison requesting that, if the regulations permit, Miller be allowed to take his machine. In the event the regulations are against this General Holway has been asked to request of the war department special permission.

Captain Fowler points out that the machine would be of immense value to the regiment. It has been demonstrated at Camp Douglas, during the regimental encampments, that they far surpass the horse for messenger service.

Miller's machine, complete with clutch, brakes and electric lighting device, is equipped with a rear carrier in which it would be possible for him to carry his tent and blanket rolls and all necessary paraphernalia. In the event he is permitted to use the cycle he will undoubtedly be equipped with side arms, instead of the rifle and these would be carried in holsters fitted on the frame of the machine.

MEXICAN "STUDES" READY TO FIGHT

MADISON, Wis., April 23—"If we go, we'll fight; if we stay here we'll finish our education."

In these few characteristic words F. de la Fuenta, a Mexican student at the University of Wisconsin, summed up the philosophical attitude of the half dozen natives of Mexico who are attending classes at the state institution of learning.

The men are prepared to leave for Mexico to help defend their country at a moment's notice, however.

The Enlisted Soldier.

An army examiner once had a candidate before him who apparently was unable to answer the simplest question. At last the examiner lost his temper and, with sarcastic emphasis lost on the youth before him, said:

"Suppose, sir, that you were a captain in command of a company of infantry; that in your rear was an impassable abyss; that on either side of you towered perpendicular rocks of untraversable height; that before you stood the enemy, a hundred men to each one of yours. What, sir, would you do in this emergency?"

"Sir," said the aspirant to military honors, "I should resign."—Pearson's Weekly.

Champ says it doesn't require much sense to be a president. The Baltimore convention, then, went to a lot of unnecessary trouble in making a choice.

HERE TODAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY

ALVORD, WEINGARDEN and CLAMAGE

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The Vienese Opera Comique

The "BLUE WIDOW"



20 PEOPLE 20

Clever Entertainers, Comedians, Dancers,

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"The GIRL FROM LUXEMBERG"

THE

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BEST AFTER ALL

OWEN CRITICIZES M'GOVERN'S STAND

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—"The people of the state will not be interested in the governor's disquisition on peanut politics," said Attorney General Walter C. Owen today, when asked for a statement regarding the governor's denial of a special session of the legislature for the purpose of reducing taxes next year. "They are interested in more important things—matters of more intimate concern to them, in the consideration of which they will not be frustrated by spiteful flings concerning factional politics further than to pause in amazement at the undignified spectacle presented.

"The absolute futility and impossibility of calm, judicial conference with him is perfectly manifest from the intemperate and undignified language of his so-called reply."

LA CROSSE GIVEN TEACHERS' MEET

La Crosse has been awarded the nexa convention of the Wisconsin Music Teachers' association at the closing session in Milwaukee yesterday. Liborius Semmann, dean of the Marquette Conservatory of Music, was elected president.

STUDENTS ENDORSE WILSON

The Eclectic Debating society of the normal discussed the Mexican situation at its meeting last night and the vote taken showed that the society was unanimously in favor of the action taken by the national government in regard to this affair. Many predictions were made in regard to the outcome of the war and it was generally believed that the struggle would be comparatively short.

Ab Adkins says the price of feed has gone so high that keeping a cow has become the height of affluence.

How You Can Remove Unsightly Hair or Fuzz

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By having a small package of delatone handy, you can quickly banish ugly, unsightly hairs wherever they may appear. Just enough paste to cover the hairy surface is made with some of the powdered delatone and water. This is applied for about 2 minutes, then removed and the skin washed. This simple method not only banishes every trace of hair or fuzz, but leaves the skin firm, smooth and free from blemish.

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SALEM RESIDENT DIES AT BANGOR

John Rummel Succumbs to Attack of Bright's Disease on Sunday

WEST SALEM, Wis., April 23.—John Rummel, formerly of this city, died Sunday at his home in Bangor, Wis. Death was caused by Bright's disease. His bereaved parents have the sympathy of the community.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Miller of La Crosse, on Tuesday, a seven pound girl. Mrs. Miller will be better known as Miss Grace Tower.

Saturday afternoon about twenty-five ladies surprised Mrs. C. Fales at her home just west of town. The time was spent in various ways and at 6 o'clock a picnic supper was served. Mrs. Fales expects to leave for Pingree, N. D., soon, where she will spend the summer months with her husband on his farm.

Mrs. H. Curtis, who has been spending some time in North Dakota, is here visiting with relatives and friends.

A picnic supper was served at 6 o'clock Monday evening at the home of the Misses Mary and Elizabeth McEldowney in honor of Mrs. Anna Francis of St. Paul and Miss Virginia Samuels' birthday. All enjoyed a pleasant time. Miss Samuels received a number of pretty gifts.

Mrs. F. Jones entertained a few friends to tea Monday evening.

The Ladies' Study club meets at the home of Mrs. F. Jones on Monday, April 27, at 2:30. Lesson, "Development of Spartan Life and of Spartan Leadership in thePeloponnesus." Leader, Mrs. Sherman Dudley.

Mr. Harry Fischer, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, is able to be about again.

Rev. S. L. McKee spent Monday in La Crosse.

Mrs. Frank Coburn and daughter attended the Minneapolis Symphony orchestra at the La Crosse normal school Monday evening.

Mrs. Colesha Smith, who has been spending some time at Onalaska with her daughter, Mrs. H. Cronk, came up Monday to spend a few days with relatives here.

Mrs. Elmer Waite of Bangor spent Tuesday here with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Pfaff is spending a few days at Onalaska, a guest at the home of Mrs. A. Storandt.

Mrs. S. L. McKee returned from her western trip the last of the week.

A surprise party was given Cecil Upham Monday evening at his home in honor of his birthday. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served, after which the young people departed for their homes wishing Cecil many happy returns.

The Remedy for Hard Water Is

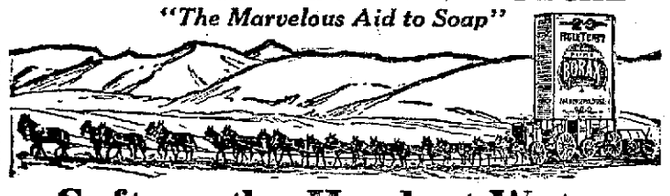
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LA CROSSE TAKES TO PARCEL PPST

The volume of parcel post business done in La Crosse has increased more than 750 per cent during the last year, according to figures submitted today by Postmaster William Tscharner after a fifteen day test.

During the period from April 1 to 15 a count on all parcel post packages passing through the local office was kept in accordance with instructions received from the postal department at Washington. The count showed that 58,977 packages were handled here. During the same period last year the total amounted to but 7,800. The average for the thirteen working days this year was 4,523 packages per day.

WILL FRAME NEW STATE FIRE CODE

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—Fox River Valley architects, builders, fire chiefs and others will have an opportunity tomorrow to offer suggestions for the new state building code. The industrial commission will hold a public hearing on Thursday at 2 o'clock at the Oshkosh city hall, at which the code will be fully discussed. This is the only hearing that will be held in the Fox River Valley and all residents of neighboring cities who are interested in the proposed code are expected to attend.

DIVERSE OPINION ON MOVE OF U. S.

London Papers Vary in Commenting on Action of Wilson in Mexican Situation

GLOBE HINTS AT ANNEXATION

Asserts President Undertakes to Tell Who Shall Rule Mexico; Villa for President

LONDON, April 23.—Considerable space was devoted to the Mexican situation by the British newspapers Tuesday.

"One of those great waves of national feeling which from time to time sweep away political dissensions among Americans," the Daily Telegraph says, "has gone throughout the United States. There is no nation in the world more punctilious over the honor of its flag and it is merely just for Americans to say that if an insult had come from a more formidable aggressor the manifestation of the public resolve to have reparation would only have been stronger and more violent. There is, of course, no question as yet of war in the strict meaning of the term."

Hints at a Protectorate

"In the declaration that the military operations of the United States are being taken not against the people of Mexico but against General Huerta," the Globe says, "we have the root weakness of President Wilson's policy. He undertakes to say who does and who does not represent the Mexican people. That is a pretension to which there is no other issue than annexation or a protectorate, as valid as that now exercised over Cuba."

Wilson Made Mistake

The Manchester Guardian, organ of the English peace party, says:

"War, should it come, would be purely ridiculous if the stakes were not human lives and national reputations. If both sides are itching to be at each other's throat, it would be discreditable to them both to have no better occasion for beginning.

"The originating cause of the dispute is undoubtedly the extension of the Monroe doctrine, which from being a mere notice board to Europe against political trespassing in the new world, has become a sort of gazetting of the United States as the political school mistress of Central and South America.

"President Wilson was wrong in refusing to recognize Gen. Huerta. The resulting intervention will put Pancho Villa in the position Huerta now occupies. This is not an attractive prospect, for Villa possesses in a higher degree every fault that President Wilson has found with Huerta."

Result Was Inevitable

The Liverpool Post was: "President Wilson's message was the inevitable culmination of American policy in refusing to recognize Gen. Huerta. The responsibility of the United States cannot cease with a mere conquest under arms and the upholding of American dignity, nor can it be confined to the immediate protection of international commercial interests.

"The further responsibility will devolve upon the United States of taking such steps as may be considered necessary for the permanent protection of those interests. That can only be done by establishing such a form and personnel of government as will insure the greatest degree of orderly life. The civilization of Mexico would have a beneficent influence throughout the world."

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ARREST JIM HILL FOR STEALING RIDE

Jim Hill of St. Paul was arrested here today for overlooking the formality of purchasing a railroad ticket before taking a ride on the Burlington railroad. The hobo namesake of the railroad magnate arrived in La Crosse yesterday morning. After pleading guilty to vagrancy he was sentenced to thirty days in the county jail by Judge John Brindley. Along with Hill, Christ Christianson, another "Weary Willie," was handed the same punishment.

The gossips sometimes disprove the theory that the truth doesn't hurt anyone.



Armour's "STAR"

"The Ham What Am" and Bacon too

Can you think of anything better for breakfast? The juicy, sweet, "mild sugar" cure flavor, with the tang of smouldering hickory logs given in the smoking, wakes up the most jaded and satisfies the healthiest appetite.

SMUT PREVENTED BY TREATING GRAIN

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—Smut diseases, which annually cause enormous losses to the grain growers of Wisconsin, can be controlled by treating the seed grain with formaldehyde solution.

According to B. D. Leith, college of agriculture, University of Wisconsin, oat smut and barley stripe can be prevented by soaking the seed in an ordinary cold water solution of the drug. Barley smut and loose smut of wheat, however, are harder to kill, and perhaps can best be controlled by a hot water treatment.

One of the methods of treating seed grain used at the Wisconsin experiment station follows:

The grain is spread upon a tight floor or canvas and is sprinkled until thoroughly moistened with a solution of one pint of 40 per cent formaldehyde to 40 gallons of water. The seed is thoroughly covered over to distribute the solution and is then piled and covered with sacks or canvas so that the formaldehyde gas will not evaporate before its good work is done. The grain may be sown at once or upon the following day but if it is to be kept longer it should be aired as soon as possible by spreading it out thinly upon the floor and then occasionally stirring it with a rake.

Another plan is to have the solution in a barrel or tank and then dip gunny sacks filled with the grain into the solution. The seed is then placed in a pile and handled in the manner already described.

BUMP CO. INCREASES CAPITAL TO $25,000

Amendments to the articles of incorporation of the Bump Perfected Paper Fastener company were filed with Andrew Thompson, register of deeds, today, whereby the name of the company is changed to the Bump Paper Fastener Co., and the capital stock is increased from $10,000 to $25,000.

LA CROSSE THEATRE

MONDAY, April 27

RICHARD BENNETT

And his original New York-Chicago Company of Co-workers in

THE SENSATIONAL SUCCESS

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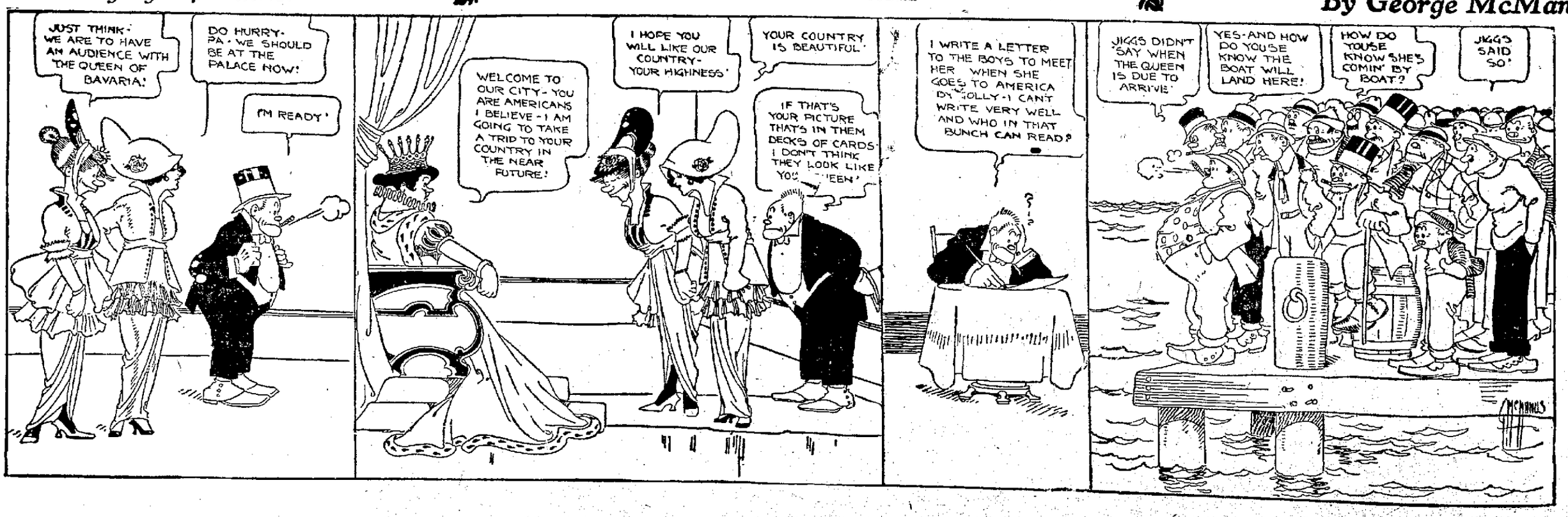
Mr. Bennett announces that no children under 16 years of age will be admitted to "Damaged Goods" unless accompanied by parent or guardian.

Prices: 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50 Seats Selling

Bringing Up Father

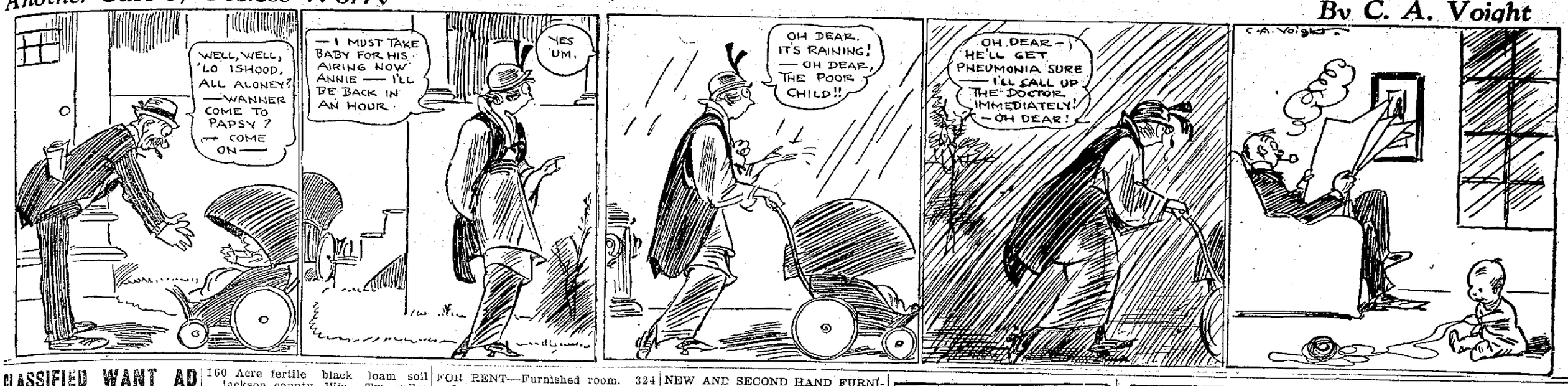
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By George McManus



Another Case of Useless Worry

By C. A. Voight



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BOTH PHONES 323

HELP WANTED—MALE

PRESS FEEDERS WANTED—A. A. Liesenfeld Printing Co., 209 Main street. 4 22 tf

WANTED—A good barber at once. Address Martin Swenson, Whitehall, Wis. 4 22 5 2

WANTED—Driver at the Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 North Sixth. 4 22 24

WANTED—Bartender at the Stoddard hotel. 4 22 24

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. Position guaranteed. Write for catalogue. Tri-City Barber College, Davenport, Iowa. thurs fri sat 3mos

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—Girl for general housework. No washing. Apply evenings. 407 South Thirteenth. 4 21 27

WANTED—Two girls at the La Crosse hospital. 4 21 tf

WANTED—Kitchen girls at the Stoddard hotel. 4 21 23

WANTED—Assistant cook and floor maid at Lutheran hospital. 4 17 tf

WANTED—Two dining room girls at Hotel Hanson, Spring Grove, Minn. 4 17 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Good wages. Mrs. Smedal, 1420 Cass. 4 16 tf

WANTED—Girl to wash dishes, at the Wilson house. 4 9 tf

WANTED—Girl at 122 North Seventh. New phone 1395-C. 4 6 tf

WANTED—Girl at Henry and Frank's, 118 North Third. 3 18 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework, preferably one who goes home nights. 1122 Cameron avenue. 4 20 23

WANTED—Girl to do housework at 616 Main. 4 22 24

WANTED—Dining room and kitchen girl at Hotel Doering. 4 22 28

WANTED—Competent cook. Good wages. Mrs. Law, 435 South Fourth. 4 20 tf

WANTED—Girls over 16 to learn making house dresses, aprons, etc. Those familiar with powtr sewing machines preferred. We pay beginners while learning. La Crosse Garment Co., 123-124 South Front street, La Crosse, Wis. 4 4 tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Strawberry plants, Warfields and Dunlaps, 35c per hundred. W. A. Tripp, La Crosse, Wis., R. F. D. No. 3. New phone 2701. 4 18 27

COLUMBIA double disc records, Ge. Weis' Book Store, 523 Main street, opposite St. Joseph's cathedral. 4 10 5 9

FOR SALE—Eleven room house, suitable for two families. Cheap if taken at once. Inquire 508 Farnam. 4 16 29

FOR SALE—Modern house. 1701 Main. 4 18 5 1

FOR SALE—Cheap, small store front. 1421 Mississippi. 4 21 23

FOR SALE—Parlor furniture and ice box. 802 Ferry. 4 21 tf

FOR SALE—Black dirt and clay. C. L. Baldwin, Ebner's Coulee. 4 21 27

FOR SALE—3 h. p. electric motor. Inquire 915 Logan. 4 1 tf

FOR SALE—Twin Harley-Davidson motorcycle, 1913 model. Absolutely good as new. Equipped. Better investigate this. 1223 Kane. New phone 586-C. 4 21 23

FOR SALE—Shoe repair shop on South side, with finishing machine, electric motor. S. S., Tribune. 4 21 tf

FOR SALE—Cord wood second growth oak, dry. New phone 2511. 4 21 5 4

FOR SALE—Two English pit bull pups, three months old. New phone 796-A. 4 21 26

FOR SALE—Cheap, nearly new piano, easy terms if desired. 510 Mississippi street. 4 20 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, brand new Anderson Computing Scale, and a Dictaphone horn, at A. J. Ness' Jewelry Store, 309 Pearl street. 4 9 tf

160 Acre fertile black loam soil Jackson county, Wis. Two miles from Shamrock. 77 acres broke, can improve 50 acres more. Running water. Price $35 per acre. Will consider trade for house up to $2,500. Must be worth the money. John Ristuben, Cashton, Wis. 4 20 21

FOR SALE—Some household goods consisting of marble top walnut tables and bureau, together with dressers, commodes, beds, steel couch, etc. Gateway City Transfer Co., 214-216 Vine street. 4 20 25

FOR SALE—Eight room modern house and barn with alley. Will sell cheap and on easy terms account leaving city. 1612 King street. 3 12 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, 25 foot launch hull. Inquire 1025 South Second. 4 20 24

FOR SALE—Farm, 52 acres, seven miles from La Crosse. Inquire B. B., care Tribune. 4 18 24

FOR SALE—Horse Hospital, very cheap. For particulars write E. A. Latamore, Jackson, Minn. 4 9 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot, cheap, to settle estate. Address House, Tribune. 4 17 30

FOR SALE—Hotel, including bar, feed barn and bowling alley in village of Bangor. Call at Farmers' State Bank, Bangor, Wis. 4 13 tf

FOR SALE—Stockers and feeders, two loads of Angus, weight 900 pounds; two loads Hereford, around 725 pounds; 50 head of calves. John Carrow, Ottumwa, Iowa. Box 128. 4 13 25

FOR SALE—Property at 512 Oakland street. Inquire of F. Rassmann, Beaver Dam, Wis. 3 30 4 29

FIRST CLASS BOILER, $125. Pulleys. H. N. Lain, 1322 South 5th. 3 11 tf

FOR SALE—Three used autos, from $175 up. A large safe cheap. Dietz Auto Garage. 3 19 tf

FOR SALE—Gas stove; bargain. 1225 Jackson street. 4 22 28

FOR SALE—Parlor suite, rug, Morris chair, baby buggy and child's double bed. Call Saturday, 1105 State. 4 22 24

FOR SALE—5 h. p. marine engine. Inquire 620 South Third. 4 22 25

FOR SALE—Sewing machine in first class condition. Will sell at a bargain if taken at once. 1316 Sill street. New phone 1420-R. 4 22 24

FOR SALE—Corner lot, two houses and barn. 802 South Eighth. 4 22 tf

FOR SALE—Five burner gas range, almost new. 1003 Cameron Ave. New phone 1272 Black. 4 22 24

FIRST $125.00 CASH buys Ford automobile; 2 cylinder opposed motor recently overhauled; good tires; needs cleaning and slight repairs, but will give good service; equipment includes runabout, 4-passenger tonneau and attachable truck delivery frame, wind shield, lamps, etc. W. V. Kidder, 114 North Fifth, La Crosse, Wis. 4 7 tf

FOR SALE—House, partly modern, on large lot. 1216 Pine. 3 28 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap, old brick cheese. Henry Anderegg, 625 So. Eighth. Both phones. 3 27 tf

FOR SALE—Trap, suitable for small horse or pony. 821 State street. 3 30 tf

FOR RENT

SIX ROOM cottage, partly modern. Inquire 1739 Badger. 4 13 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. 317 South Eighth. 4 17 23

FOR RENT—Five room furnished flat downtown. Address L. L., Tribune. 4 18 tf

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping. 703 Pine. 4 22 tf

TO RENT—1219 Farnam. Apply 913 State. New phone 490-A. 4 22 24

FOR RENT—Steam heated rooms for light housekeeping, modern. 508 South Fifth. 4 22 25

FOR RENT—Furnished flat for housekeeping. New phone 194-A. 4 22 24

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms. 832 Mill. 4 22 28

FOR RENT—Five room house. Inquire 717 Badger. 4 22 tf

FOR RENT—Four room modern furnished flat for light housekeeping. 712 Cass street. 4 15 tf

FOR RENT—Five rooms, 407 South 23rd street. Call at 7 o'clock evenings. 4 20 tf

FOR RENT—Front room, one of Doerflinger apartments, 503 Cass upstairs. 4 20 25

FOR RENT—After May 1, strictly modern seven room house near high and normal school. Call 1174-R. 4 8 tf

FOR RENT—Eight room house. 921 Vine. 4 20 25

FOR RENT—Furnished room. 324 Jay street. 4 4 tf

FOR RENT—Eeven room house, with acre of land, near State Road on 22nd street. Inquire 921 Vine. 4 20 25

FOR RENT—Single or suite of furnished rooms, very pleasant and modern. 201 South Fifth street. 4 14 tf

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeepingg. 714 Cass. 4 6 tf

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED TO RENT—By June 1st, modern five to six room house with large garden. Address A. B. W., care of Tribune. 4 21 25*

WANTED TO BUY—Small launch. 5496 old phone after 6 p. m. 4 20 23

WE CLEAN CARPETS and rugs with our large auto vacuum cleaner. If work is not satisfactory you pay nothing. New phone 819-R. Reeves, 418 Caledonia street. 4 20 tf

WANTED—Five or six room cottage. Call up new phone 957-R. 4 22 24

PLANTING TIME IS HERE—Let us price your wants in the nursery line. Catalogue free. The Northwood Nurseries, Coon Valley, Wis. 4 22 5 2

LACE CURTAINS done up reasonable. New phone 951-A. 4 22 tf

I WANT you to try a Brilliant Electric Suction Cleaner in your home free. A. O. Colby. 4 20 25

WANTED—To lease hotel and bar. Live Wisconsin town preferred. Address Bar, care of Tribune. 4 18 24

DRAYMEN ATTENTION! Free dumping ground for rubbish and for ashes, cinders and dirt we will pay. Standard Oil Company, Causeway plant. 4 14 24

WEIS' BOOK STORE is now located at 533 Main street, opposite St. Joseph's cathedral. 4 10 5 9

FOR HAULING ASHES and general teaming address H, care of Tribune. 4 2 5 1

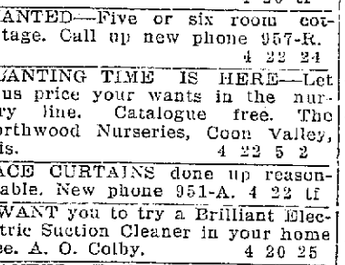
NOW IS YOUR TIME to trade city property for improved or unimproved lands. Come and see me or write. Geo. H. Frock, Rice Lake, Wis. 3 31 4 30

UMBRELLAS REPAIRED. A. Mintz, 327 North Sixth. New phone 1501-C. 3 31 tf

Piano Tuning

RENIER Piano Co., New Phone 1244-M, 322 South Fourth street. 2 13 tf

Poultry Department



BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCK eggs, $1.00 for 15; $4.00 per hundred. Van Loon, La Crosse, Wis. Old phone 2054. 3 20 tf

ROSE COMB RHODE ISLAND REDS —Red to the skin, extra good color and size. Eggs $1.50 for 15; $5.00 for 100. Satisfaction guaranteed. W. H. Reed, Canton, Minn. 4 11 23

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock eggs, 50c per dozen. New phone 279-C. 4 17 23

FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION paid up stock is all right. 3 19 tf

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and diamonds. La Crosse Loan Co., 320 Main street, upstairs. 9 3 tf

LOANS on furniture and real estate. J. W. Smith, 311 Pearl 5 5 tf

LOST

LOST—Gold chain with pearl pendant, probably between 20th and Cass and the normal school. Reward at Tribune office. Phone 323. 4 3 tf

LOST—Pocketbook containing $42, owned by Ray Munn. Return to Oyen Sign Co., 125 North Third. Reward. 4 22 25

Stoves and Furniture

WE PAY HIGHEST PRICES for all second-hand stoves, furniture, carpets, clothing, etc. Jacob's, 223 Pearl street. New phone 555-R. 4 4 5 3

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE and stoves. Bell Furniture & Stove Co., 216 South Third street, ne telephone 1581-M. 3 2 tf

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FOUND—Girl's gold bracelet. Picked up last winter. Apply Tribune office. 4 3 tf

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NO WORD FROM EDWARD WILLING NOW IN TAMPICO

Lack of word from Edward Willing in Tampico, Mexico, leads his father, Mr. John Willing, Sr., 408 South Ninth street, and his brother, John E. Willing, local clothing man, to believe that harm might have befallen him during the fighting near that place.

Mr. Willing is the paymaster for the Gulf Oil company at Tampico and the last word received from him was two months ago when he told of the warfare then being waged there.

"Our failure to hear from him," said John E. Willing today, "naturally causes us some alarm. However, he has been through so much of the fighting game that I am confident he is well qualified to take care of himself. He was in the Philippines when conditions there were at white heat and was through the Spanish American war. I am writing him today in the hope of getting information."

ARMS NOT FOR HUERTA

WASHINGTON, April 23.—"Huerta will not get the cargo, no matter what disposition is made of the German ship's consignment of arms to the Mexican government," said Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador following a half hour's conference with Secretary of State Bryan and John Lind today.

P. A. FLANAGAN DIES

P. A. Flanagan, for 25 years a resident of La Crosse, died Tuesday afternoon at one o'clock at his home, 714 South Seventh street after a three months' illness with heart disease. The funeral services will be held at St. Mary's church on Friday morning at nine o'clock, Dr. Robert B. Condon officiating.

ARREST PARK SPEEDER

An employe of the Hofweber auto garage was arrested this morning on complaint of Park Foreman Geo. Ritter for exceeding the speed limit in Levee park.

Comparative Markets

These Quotations Show the General Trend of Prices for the Previous Week

LIVESTOCK YESTERDAY

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., April 22.—Hogs—Receipts 20,000; market slow; 5 to 10c lower; mixed and butchers $8.30 to $8.60; good heavy $8.20 to $8.57; rough heavy $8.10 to $8.20; light $8.25 to $8.55; pigs $7.00 to $8.25.

Cattle — Receipts 15,000; market steady to lower; beeves $7.05 to $9.40; cows and heifers $3.70 to $8.50; stockers and feeders $5.50 to $8.15; Texans $7.10 to $8.20; calves $6.00 to $8.50.

Sheep — Receipts 23,000; market slow; 10c lower; native $5.25 to $6.75; western $5.35 to $6.80; lambs $6.20 to $8.15; western $6.20 to $8.40.

LIVESTOCK A WEEK AGO

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., April 15.—Hogs—Receipts 18,000; market slow; steady; mixed and butchers $8.60 to $8.90; good heavy $8.50 to $8.85; rough heavy $8.40 to $8.50; light $8.65 to $8.90; pigs $7.50 to $8.60.

Cattle — Receipts 1,000; market steady to strong; beeves 7.10 to $9.50; cows and heifers $3.75 to $8.60; stockers and feeders $5.60 to $8.15; Texans $7.25 to $8.30; calves $6.50 to $9.50.

Sheep — Receipts 21,000; market steady; native $5.50 to $7.00; western $5.60 to $7.10; lambs $6.30 to $8.25; western $6.50 to $8.50.

Grain

	Yesterday.	Week Ago.
WHEAT—		
May	92½	92¾
July	88	86¾
CORN—		
May	64⅜	68¼
July	64¾	66⅝
OATS—		
May	37⅞	37¼
July	37⅞	37½

Madero Regrets American Lives

NEWARK, N. J., April 23.—"It is an awful pity," said Evaristo Madero, youngest brother of the late Francisco Madero, martyred president of Mexico, when informed at his East Orange home today that four American marines were killed in the landing force that seized the customs house at Vera Cruz.

"It is an awful pity that American blood must be shed on Mexican soil," said Madero. "We can only hope for the early settlement of affairs and pray that no more Americans will lose their lives."

Madero, who is a graduate of Cornell university and a linguist of ability, has stated that the only evidence of anti-Americanism in the southern republic has existed in the Huerta controlled press of the capital.

LA CROSSE BOY HELPS TAKE CITY

One La Crosse boy, Otto Molzahn, 609 North Fifteenth street, participated in the capture of Vera Cruz. Molzahn is a marine aboard the U. S. S. Utah, which has been in the harbor of Vera Cruz for the last six weeks. Vera Cruz was captured by the marines and sailors from the Utah, Prairie and Florida. In a recent letter received here from Molzahn, the La Crosse boy told of revolting scenes of cruelty in the streets of Vera Cruz and declared that he and his comrades were awaiting action with impatience.

13 VESSELS ON COAST

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The navy department announced this afternoon that thirteen ships on the Pacific coast are available for service in Mexican waters—seven of them, North Carolina, Washington, Tennessee, Brooklyn, Salem, Sacramento, Castine—carry in all 2,500 men. In addition the gunboats Marietta, Newport, Dubuque, Machias and Isla de Luzon, can be used. These vessels have been loaned to state organizations, continued the bulletin.

BONDS

We own and offer the following high grade Bonds. Can furnish $100 denominations in several of them. Where can you find as good investments?

$5,000	Tillamook Timber & Logging Co. ..... 6 per cent
$2,000	J. K. Lumber Co. ..... 6 per cent
$6,000	Tremont Lumber Co. ..... 6 per cent
$11,700	Huntington Land & Improvement Co. ..... 6 per cent
$2,000	J. S. Betts Co. ..... 6 per cent
$4,500	C. A. Smith Lumber Co. ..... 6 per cent
$5,000	Fosburgh Lumber Co. ..... 6 per cent
$5,000	Union Lumber Co. ..... 6 per cent
$5,000	Arpin Hardwood Lumber Co. ..... 6 per cent
$8,900	Goddard & Co. ..... 6 per cent
$5,000	Carpenter-O'Brien Co. ..... 6 per cent
$4,000	Great Falls Power Co. ..... 5 per cent
$5,000	Omaha & Council Bluffs Street Railway Co. ..... 5 per cent
$5,000	Rockford & Interurban Railway Co. ..... 5 per cent
$5,000	Cicero Gas Co. ..... 5 per cent
$1,500	Pearsons Taft Land Credit Co. ..... 5.3 per cent
$10,000	Red River Timber Co. ..... 5 per cent

LA CROSSE TRUST CO.

DAILY MARKETS

Wholesale Fruit
(Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Figs, Calif., 12 to 12 oz.	$5c
Dates, Anchor, 30 packages	$2.50
Dates, Excelsior, 30 packages	$2.75
Dates, Dromedary, 30 packages	$3.00
New Dates, per pound	6c
Bananas, per bunch	$1.50 to $2.00
California Lemons, box	$4.00 to 4.50
Lemons, Verdelli, 30 size box	$4.00
Oysters, Standards, gallon	$1.50
Cabbage, per hundred	$3.00
Oranges, Cal., box	$2.75
Grape Fruit	$4.00
Apples, Northern Spys	$5.00
Apples, Snows	$5.00
Apples, Grimes Golden	$5.00
Apples, Baldwins	$6.00
Apples, Greenings	$6.00
Apples, Cooking	$4.00
Apples, boxes	$1.75 to $1.90
Canada Rutabagas, per bu.	75c
Cider, Refined, per barrel	$6.50
Cider, Pure Juice, per barrel	$6.00
Cider, Crab Apple, half barrel	$5.50
Cider, Refined, half barrel	$3.75
Cider, Pure Juice, half barrel	$3.50
Onions, Yellow, per hd.	$4.00
Potatoes, per bushel	70c
Strawberries, per quart	50c

Livestock
(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)

Hogs	$7.50 to $8.00
Steers	$3.50 to $6.50
Cows	$3.00 to $5.00
Heifers	$3.00 to $5.50
Sheep	$2.50 to $3.00
Spring Lambs	$5.50 to $6.00

Poultry

Chickens	13 to 15c
Turkeys	14 to 15c
Ducks	12 to 13c
Geese	11 to 12c

Provisions

Lard, per pound	13¾ to 13¾c
Shoulders, per pound	13½c
Hams, per pound	16 to 16½c
Bacon, per pound	17 to 20c
Dried Beef, per pound	28 to 32c

Butter and Eggs
(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery butter, pound	25 to 27c
Dairy butter, pound	22c
Eggs, fresh, dozen	18c
Eggs, seconds, dozen	16c

Grain
(Quoted by Thomas Phalon Co.)

Corn	50 to 60c
Oats	32 to 38c
Wheat	75 to 80c
Rye	50 to 52c
Barley	50 to 65c

Flour and Feed
(Quoted by Listman Mill Co.)

Patent, per barrel	$4.90
Straight, per barrel	$4.70

Mill Feed

Bran, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$27.00
Shorts, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$28.00
White middlings, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$30.00
Red Dog, per ton, 100 lb. sacks	$31.00

Cheese
(Quoted by Hy. Anderegg)

Fancy full cream twins	14¼ to 16c
Fancy full cream daisies	15 to 16c
Fancy full cream limburger	16 to 18c
Fancy full cream Swiss block	17-18c

FOR SALE

Make me an offer on a good lot, in Hillview addition, facing park. Address 59 Tribune.

FOR RENT—Two office rooms, one with fire-proof vault. Batavian National Bank.

WANTED—Female Help

We are in need of a few more girls in our knitting department. Good wages, steady work, plenty of light, sanitary conditions and a comfortable place to work. Call at once if you wish a good job. La Crosse Knitting Works.

FEARED THAT LOCAL MAN'S BROTHER WAS AMONG WOUNDED

Fears that George L. Leahy, of Stevens Point, brother of F. W. Leahy, editor of the La Crosse Leader-Press, had been seriously wounded during the occupation of Vera Cruz, were dispelled this morning when Editor Leahy received a dispatch from Washington correcting the impression.

The injured man is Chas. L. Leahy, 323 East Ninetieth street, New York City. An error on the telegram gave his first initial as G. instead of C. Both men were in service on the battleship Florida. The Washington dispatch brings the reassuring information that the La Crosse man's relative was uninjured.

POPE PLEADS WITH HUERTA

CHICAGO, April 23.—The Chicago Daily News this afternoon prints a dispatch from its Rome correspondent, declaring that the pope has cabled the apostolic delegate in Mexico, instructing him to ask President Huerta to yield to the United States to avert further bloodshed. The News correspondent says that several foreign rulers have sent similar messages to Huerta.

SENTENCE STOCK SWINDLER

KEOKUK, Ia., April 23.—For using the mails with intent to defraud Van Buren county farmers in a stock deal Jacob Metz was sentenced to prison for a term of two years by Federal Judge Smith McPherson here.

RUSH TROOPS TO BORDER

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 23.—Additional troops were rushed today from Fort Rosecrans to the Mexican border near Tia Juana. Two additional field guns were taken. Mexican federals there are throwing up entrenchments and a desperate engagement is expected when the United States troops attempt to take the customs house.

ARRESTS AT VERA CRUZ

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Consul Canada at Vera Cruz reported this afternoon that "many arrests" were being made in Vera Cruz during a house to house search for armed citizens now being made.

DON'T take the word of a friend, but come and see for yourself. Compare our qualities and prices with those found elsewhere.

DOERFLINGER'S.
YOU PAY LESS HERE

Remember our assortments are immense. We are in a position to satisfy all classes of trade.

EXTRA SPECIAL! *EXTRA SPECIAL!*

April UNDERMUSLIN SALE

Beginning this year we are going to inaugurate what will be known hereafter as our **"ANNUAL APRIL SALE OF MUSLIN UNDERWEAR."** We have made extensive preparations for this event and are determined to make this sale one of marked success and popularity. We therefore offer you an assortment of the very newest and most desirable Spring Undermuslins, unsurpassed in beauty, quality, variety or money saving opportunities. Attend this sale Friday or any of the three days thereafter. It is truly a triumph of worthy goods and an appeal to taste and economy.



Sale Commences Tomorrow at 9 A. M. and no woman who has an Undermuslin want can afford to miss this great opportunity

TABLE NO. 1
Corset Covers, the regular 25c seller, sale price each **13c**

TABLE NO. 2
One lot of Women's Drawers, value supreme, special sale price **13c**

TABLE NO. 3
One lot Combination Suits, regular $1.25 quality, special sale price **89c**

TABLE NO. 4
Contains Gowns, the best values ever offered, sale price **39c**



EXTRA SPECIAL!
A big lot of **Children's Drawers**, the regular 10½c quality, all sizes 2 to 12, choice during this sale for **7c**

TABLE NO. 5
A big line of White Muslin **Petticoats**, worth more than the material is worth, special sale price of **23c**

TABLE NO. 6
Has excellent quality **Corset Cover** that retail regular for 35c, special sale price **19c**

TABLE NO. 7
Princess Slips, excellent $1.00 quality, special sale price **69c**

TABLE NO. 8
Marcella Combination Suits in Crepe and plain materials, $1.25 value, special sale price .. **98c**

EXTRA SPECIAL!
In **Marcella Combination**, we doubt if they will last all day; they are the regular $1.50 and $1.75 Marcella Combination, special sale price **$1.29**

Undermuslin on the Second Floor

SPECIAL
Corset Covers, 59c value, special for **48c**

Gowns. One lot $1.75 Gowns for **$1.19**
One lot 65c Gowns for **59c**

PETTICOATS
One lot Women's long Muslin Petticoats, regular 65c value, special price each **39c**

SPECIAL
Drawers, one lot 35c Drawers, special sale price **23c**

Princess Slips
A lot of a regular $1.25 value specially priced for Friday, Saturday and Monday at **98c**

PETTICOATS
Another great value in Women's Petticoats, the regular $1.50 value, specially priced each **95c**

Princess Slips
Another lot of the $2.00 grade specially priced for the three day sale at **$1.39**

The First Day of Our Three Days' Dress Goods Sale Proves a Tremendous Success

Hundreds of women attracted by the phenomenal price reductions thronged our aisles all day. To those who have not taken advantage of this opportunity we can say but this, "You will have something to regret."

10c for finest quality 15c sheer White **India Linen.**

19c for **Ratine**, a 45c fancy Stripe Ratine for Suits and Wash Skirts.

48c for **Plain and Fancy Silk Cord** and Nub Ratine, very rich finish, all colors, that sell and are worth 75c yard.

59c for pure **French Ramie Dress Linens.** These in 12 splendid dress shades, also White, 48 inches wide.

77c for **40 inch Ratine**, always sold at $1.50 yard, in most every color, also a beautiful Brocaded Ratine in Brown, Tan, Cadet, Wisteria.

36 inch Wash Silks in fancy fast color stripes for Shirts and Wash Waists and Suits, yard **39c**

58c to 75c Brocaded Pongee Silks and Brocaded Silk Tussahs, 27 and 36 in. wide, 20 different shades in several pretty styles for Wash Waists and Suits, yd. **44c**

Yard wide Satin Messaline in Black and colors, $1.25 everywhere and a good value, 20 pieces Black and staple shades, yard **95c**

Fancy Foulards in a very excellent assortment of styles that are new, 85c and $1.00 Cheney qualities, at yard **69c**

Printed 38 inch Oriental Crepe de Chines medium and dainty colored grounds, also White grounds. A real craze. One of the most popular fabrics of the season, yard **79c**

Drugs, Domestics, Etc.

UMBRELLAS
Steel rod Umbrellas, mercerized water proof cover **39c**

PILLOW CASES
Pepperell Pillow Cases, 36x42, at each **14c**

TABLE LINEN
All of our Oil Boiled Turkey Red and Blue Table Linen, per yard **39c**

WHISKY
Duffy's Pure Malt Whisky, $1.00 bottle each **79c**

Good Evening!

FOR FRIDAY we offer additional proofs of the supremacy of our Grocery Dept. as a bargain center.

5 pounds fine Granulated Sugar **19c**
3 boxes (500) Matches for **10c**
5 Salted Holland Herring **10c**
Fancy Brick Cheese, per pound **20c**
Sardines in pure olive oil, 15c value **11c**
Salmon, Reindeer brand, pe. can **15c**
Cut Wax Beans, Monsoon brand, No. 2 can **10c**
Fancy Naval Oranges, 150 size dozen **25c**

SPECIAL—Large assortment of Rose Bushes at each **10c**

No telephone orders accepted on these Specials. No Sugar delivered unless accompanied by a small order.

Drugs, Domestics, Etc.

FACE POWDER
La Blache Face Powder, 50c box each **39c**

SAGE AND SULPHUR
Sage and Sulphur Hair Tonic, 50c bottle each **39c**

SARSAPARILLA
Hood's Sarsaparilla, a good spring tonic, $1 bottle each **79c**

SEEDS
Flower and Vegetable Seeds, good variety, pkg. **1c**

LINEN
All of our $1.00 Table Linen, per yard **85c**

NAME GRAND OFFICERS

NEENAH, Wis., April 23.—Major J. B. Schneller of the First Wisconsin infantry has made the following appointments to his staff: F. J. Schneller, Neenah, adjutant, with the rank of first lieutenant; quartermaster commissary, Hans Hilsenhoff, Madison, with rank of second lieutenant; N. C. Jersild, Neenah, sergeant major and orderlies, Richard C. Erdman, Oconomowoc; J. W. Belinski, Milwaukee, and H. H. Albright, Neenah.

NORWEGIAN DOCTOR DELIVERS LECTURE

Rev. Sommerfelt of University of Christiania Speaks at Lutheran Church at Rushford

RUSHFORD, Minn., April 23.—On the evening of April 21st, Rushford residents had the pleasure of hearing Rev. A. Sommerfelt, M. D., pastor and physician from the University of Christiania, Norway. His subject was "The Soul's Influence on the Diseases of the body."

The Stork special stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sheldahl last Tuesday and left a sturdy little gentleman, who at once made himself at home there.

The roller skating craze has struck this city full blast and as a consequence it is scarcely safe to venture on the streets, as all those who participate in the pastime are not as careful of the rights of others as they might be.

During the Easter vacation, Mr. J. Jenson, of the city schools, went to Mitchell, S. D., to complete the necessary arrangements to taking out his second citizenship papers.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Coxe of Fountain, have been recent guests of the Craig home, in Brooklyn. Mr. Coxe was for some time instructor in the manual training department of our city schools and both her and his wife have a wide circle of friends here.

Ralph Hammond, who has been attending school at Faribault, arrived in the city last Saturday, for a six months' vacation with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gullickson of Ferry street. Master Ralph has completed his second year at the school for the blind and is very enthusiastic over the course of study pursued there. While his eyes are yet in quite good shape, it was deemed best to have him take up the work at the Faribault school. He brought home with him some very fine pieces of handiwork, made by himself. The pieces consist of a rug, pillow top, bead purses, trinket boxes, laundry bags and a large hammock.

Mr. F. A. Olson, who returned from Chicago after taking a course of treatment there, is still in very feeble health.

The Misses Carrie and Bernice Roberton arrived in this city from Great Falls, Mont., last Saturday. Miss Bernice surprised her people in Great Falls by going to spend her Easter vacation there and her sister, Miss Carrie, accompanied her back to this city for a visit.

Henry McKay, one of the prosperous farmers near Hart, has been through a very severe seige of pneumonia, but is now on the road to recovery, and if no complications set in, will soon be about again.

Another case of the careless handling of firearms occurred recently in South Rushford, when Albert Ebner sent a load of shot through one of his hands. Unless unforseen complications set in, the injured member will soon be in use again, having had immediate treatment by a physician.

Two farmers of North Prairie, Erick Bothum and Peter Bradley have decided to erect new and commodious homes this spring, Contractor Nelson having secured the contract for both places.

Mrs. Lathrop of St. Paul, is the guest of her brother, Rev. John Bantly of this city.

Stella Tofstad, who is teaching the Ferndale school, spent Sunday with her parents in this city.

A new church is being erected over at Greenleafton. Contractor J. Akre and a crew of workmen doing the work.

Louis Peterson of Harmony, has been a recent guest of the Ole Quarve and John Peterson homes in this city and of the Ensrud home in Lanesboro.

Mrs. Olaf Lee of Brooklyn, is the guest of friends and relatives at Fertile, Minn.

Mr. Madison Gregg, who we understand, is engaged in teaching at Granger, this state, has entered the race for county superintendent of schools in Fillmore county, running against Mr. Oscar Carlson, the present incumbent, who is in the race for another term.

Mr. W. H. Lee is also a candidate for the office of county superintendent of the Fillmore county schools.

The food sale held by the ladies of the Rushford Presbyterian church last Saturday afternoon, netted a tidy sum, despite the rain, which fell almost all day. These sales have but one draw back, that being the demand for home baking exceeding the supply. After this sale, it is probable that there will be held one each month, presumably at the same place, D. J. Shirven's store.

The seventh and eighth grades of our city schools have been recently admitted to the agricultural class and this summer will plant gardens of their own and attend the same.

Rev. Savig has leased the Jaastad property in North Rushford, lately vacated by Mr. J. E. Parish and family. The family of Mr. Saevig moved into their new home last week.

Work on the new residence being built by Olavas Olson, near his own home, is going on rapidly. The building will be commodious and modern, when completed.

The town of Peterson is to have a new veterinary surgeon, Mr. N. A. Scarstad having determined to locate there. The gentleman was born and raised near Peterson and therefore is well known, being one who is lucky enough to have a wide circle of friends and acquaintances.

The most enthusiastic followers of "Ike Walton" have been busy digging bait and fixing their fishing tackle, lately. Red horse and suckers are about all that have responded to their patient (?) efforts.

DANDRUFF SURELY DESTROYS THE HAIR

Makes It Dull, Brittle, Lifeless, and Causes It to Fall Out

Girls—if you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff, for it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't.

It doesn't do much good to try to brush or wash it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop, and your hair will be silky, fluffy, lustrous, soft, and look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much dandruff you have. This simple remedy never fails.

VARSITY WOMEN WISH TO ENLIST

Students at "U" Will Serve as Nurses if Call Is Issued; Governor Reviews Troops

MADISON, Wis., April 23.—Women students of the University of Wisconsin have caught the enthusiasm over the war crisis and if a call for volunteers is made, necessitating the services of Red Cross nurses, there will be no small number of women who will leave their studies for service in field hospitals.

Among those already planning to offer their services are Marjorie Hompe, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Ruth Peck, Evansville, Ind.; Esther Levitan, Madison.

Many Willing to Go

Several said they would be willing to go if the call were urgent. They were students in medicine, among them being Edna G. Ryar, Madison; Bird Arnold, Glenn Ellyn, Ill.; Maud Hilberry, Sleepy Eye, Minn.; Clara Hillesheim, Blue River; Mary T. Roudebusch, Memphis, Tenn.; Mary Stoeber, Madison; Edith Tombagen, Chicago.

At a recent vocational conference for women students nursing was one of the subjects discussed. After the conference a large number of women held special conferences with the speaker and indicated their interest.

Governor Reviews Regiments

Wartime scenes greet Madisonians on all sides. The adjutant general's office is busy answering communications from its thirty-eight military stations over the state. Recruits to Company G, First regiment, are being drilled extra hours and the drill hall resounds with commands of drill sergeants. Two regiments of the University of Wisconsin corps of cadets passed in review before Governor McGovern and Brigadier General Holway.

Some people are so eager to be on the right side that they will take both sides.

MRS. THOMSON TELLS WOMEN

How She Was Helped During Change of Life by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Philadelphia, Pa.—"I am just 52 years of age and during Change of Life I suffered for six years terribly. I tried several doctors but none seemed to give me any relief. Every month the pains were intense in both sides, and made me so weak that I had to go to bed. At last a friend recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to me and I tried it at once and found much relief. After that I had no pains at all and could do my housework and shopping the same as always. For years I have praised Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for what it has done for me, and shall always recommend it as a woman's friend. You are at liberty to use my letter in any way."—Mrs. THOMSON, 649 W. Russell St., Philadelphia, Pa.



Change of Life is one of the most critical periods of a woman's existence. Women everywhere should remember that there is no other remedy known to carry women so successfully through this trying period as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.